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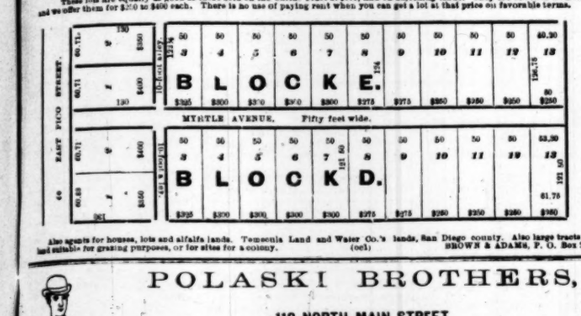

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POMONA is polished off on the second page. "Our Oranges in Ohio," (fifth page) has points worthy the attention of growers.

THE Mormons broke down completely in their efforts at prosely ing in India. The Indians are firmer than the Europeans in resisting the strange religion.

THE partial report of the Grand Jury, made yesterday, is printed on our local page. It contains a number of sharp arraignments and sound recommendations.

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THE Apache game of playing government scout whenever those treacherous savages find themselves in a corner, and so deceiving the United States troops, is described in a dispatch printed this morning. The Apache is a "slick one."

THE Evening Express coolly and unscrupulously fabricates the fiction that the TIMES "harshly criticised the illness" of the County Coroner. Of course this is maliciously manufactured out of the whole cloth. The TIMES has said nothing whatever, harsh or gentle, about the illness of that officer.

SECRETARY WHITNEY has done himself proud by promising to give Union veterans the preference in appointments in navy yards. He says the efforts of the Grand Army to "maintain a premium on patriotism" shall have his co-operation. This is well said, and the Grand Army will give the Secretary credit for the utterance, when backed up by acts to correspond.

To show that there has been a sentimental effort to create false sympathy in the County Recorder's case, by alleging that he sometimes got but a paltry monthly sum, B. Cohn has compiled all the figures of the payments made to Recorder Miles during his tenancy of office, and will be glad to show it to anyone. It proves that Mr. Miles, under the old law, never received less than $200 per month for himself, and often more, besides the salaries of all his deputies being paid, and sometimes as high as $400 a month for extras. Under the County Government bill, he receives $750 per month for the whole office.

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Views of a Prominent Liquor Dealer on the Subject.

Mr. C. C. Lapps, of the firm of E Martin & Co., is the largest liquor dealer in the southern portion of the State, and thinking his views on the high license question might be of some interest, a TIMES reporter yesterday requested them.

"What do I think of high license?" replied Mr. Lippe to the first query; "I think it's a blind, crazy attempt by a lot of sniveling, scrub psalm-singers in the Council to ruin the country. It is an outrage, and we won't stand it any more than we did the Sunday law. We beat that in four hundred cases, and this law will meet the same fate. Half a dozen dirty scrubs will find out that they can't ruin our business. Yes, sir," continued Mr. Lippe, "we intend to fight it. I will carry it through all the courts, up to the United States Supreme Court, if necessary. I will spend $1000 every time before I pay that $340 license. Why, there's no justice in the law. Drummers from the East can come in here and sell to saloons and pay no license at all while we are asked to pay this heavy tax. No, I don't expect to carry all the saloons through. They will have to stand on their own bottom, but you will find that the ordinance will amount to nothing. There's no justice in it, and it can't be made to work."

THE ORPHANS' FAIR.

Its Close Last Night—The Prize Drawing.

The Orphans' Fair ended in a blaze of glory at midnight last night. The attendance was so large as to jam the hall, and it is probable that the fair has been a success financially, though the returns are not yet in. Miss Nellie Desmond's entrance was her fair competitors and gained the easel mirror as the most popular young lady. The vote could not be obtained. The balloting for the most popular young man awarded the cane to Lieut. Ladd, and fell back into the second rank. It may decide even whether the aristocracy in England shall continue and whether the throne shall remain. The extraordinary situation now presented is that the Parliament which may be called upon to settle some, if not all of the momentous issues, will take its temper from the chance way in which a majority of the two millions of new and uneducated voters cast their first ballots.

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A CONVERT TO CATHOLICISM.

The Duke of Castile, it is reported, has joined the Roman Catholic Church. His conversion took place some time ago, it is said, but the avowal was postponed until the young Duke attained his majority. This conversion has caused much annoyance in Established Church circles. The Duke has great influence, and has an income of $200,000.

GERMANY AND SPAIN COME TO TERMS.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—Germany has acknowledged Spain's claims to the sovereignty of Yap. Spain has granted Germany free navigation of the waters in and around the Caroline Island, together with free commerce with the inhabitants and the right of having a coaling station at one of the islands. The mediation of the Pope is now unnecessary, as the affair has been settled to the satisfaction of both powers.

THE REPORT DENIED.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—It is officially stated that the report that Germany and Spain have reached an agreement concerning the Caroline affair is unfounded. Germany's reply to the last Spanish note still awaits the Emperor's approval.

REMOVED AND PRINTING.

VIENNA, Oct. 3.—Dispatches received here this afternoon report fighting on the western frontier of Bulgaria between the Servian and Bulgarian troops, and that seven men were killed and nineteen wounded. The report has not been confirmed.

WHOLESALE ARREST OF NIHILISTS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 3.—Forty Nihilists, including a number of professors and well-known persons, have been arrested at Warsaw on a charge of conspiring to murder the Czar. The arrests have caused a great sensation.

TO STRIKE WHILE THE IRON IS HOT.

PARIS, Oct. 3.—Prince Napoleon (Plon Plon) has started on a voyage around the world.

Regulating Telephone Charges.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 3.—Judge Parrott, of the Circuit Court, to-day announced that he was satisfied as to the constitutionality of the laws passed by the last Indiana legislature, limiting telephone charges to $3 per month. He added that the word "telephone" in the law included all the various appliances in the telephone business necessary to its successful operation, and that the defendant in the litigation pending here, though a mining corporation, was subject to the laws of the State. In reply to the defendant's plea that the royalty paid to the Bell company would not admit of doing business at $3 per month, the judge said that if such was the case they should quit business. This is the first of a long list of similar cases against the company.

Veterans to Have the Preference.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Secretary Whitney has written to the Veteran's Rights Union here that he will, in his appointments to department places and navy yards, give due preference to war veterans, adding: "The efforts of the Grand Army to maintain this way a premium on patriotism are commendable, and shall have my co-operation."

Important Land Decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3.—A letter was received at the Land Office in this city yesterday from Commissioner Sparks, in which the Commissioner holds that a man who sells the pre-empted land to his wife cannot again make pre-emption. This decision is a matter which has long been in dispute.

Southern Pacific's Surplus.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Financial Chronicle prints a statement, obtained from Mr. Mohl, General Agent of the Huntington roads, of the earnings and expenditures of the Southern Pacific Company. Mohl gives a surplus of $228,-812 on its operations for the four months ending June 30th.

THE OLD WORLD.

Intense Interest Centered in the English Elections.

ECHOES OF LONDON'S GREAT SCANDAL.

The Cable Companies at War—Spain and Germany Still Bickering—Foreign Notes.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The Tories are not yet ready to begin the campaign for supremacy in the next Parliament. Their government have, therefore, decided to postpone the dissolution until the 7th of December. The reason given to the public for this action is that difficulties growing out of the enormous registration under the enlargement of the franchise requires extended time for adjudication and adjustment. The campaign when it does open will be the fiercest and most thoroughly contested ever fought in Great Britain. Every voter in the country will be reached, and in this connection the fact is pointed out that, when the United States enfranchised the black freedmen, hardly eight hundred thousand voters were added to the list, but England has as suddenly added nearly three times as many voters to her suffrage list, and the addition certainly contains a larger mass of ignorance. Practically the whole number have no decided political leanings. They will be Liberal or Tory according to the influences brought to bear upon them. The result will be stupendous upon the destiny of England. It is fair to assume that before the close of the campaign the parties will have arrayed the old voters pretty well on the old lines, and that the issue will be decided by the new ballots. The election may decide whether the English trade policy shall be free or protection, whether the church and State shall be divorced or remain united, whether unification or disintegration of the Empire shall ensue, whether Great Britain shall continue to interfere in foreign affairs and remain among the first powers of the world, and fall back into the second rank. It may decide even whether the aristocracy in England shall continue and whether the throne shall remain. The extraordinary situation now presented is that the Parliament which may be called upon to settle some, if not all of the momentous issues, will take its temper from the chance way in which a majority of the two millions of new and uneducated voters cast their first ballots.

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The Road to Ruin.

It seems as if we were living in a period when the epidemic of dishonesty is unusually prevalent, especially among those placed in positions of both private and public trust. Men whose integrity had been held as unassailable, and whose principles were considered above question, have yielded to temptation, betrayed the trust of their friends and of communities, and gone down in the vortex of irrevocable wrong-doing. There is hardly a community but has some example of this tendency. But more frequently are these cases found in wealthy centers and among men prominent for their social qualities, their generous spirit of hospitality—men of genial natures, and yet men who pride themselves on their social distinction and general popularity.

There must be a cause for this. Where shall we look for it? What secret and malign influence is at work, blighting and undermining the characters of men whose business life and whose whole course of action ever since they came upon the stage of activity has been such as to inspire trust, to win confidence and lift them above the level of suspicion? The secret is not a hidden one. We do not have to go far to find it. It was an element in the old Roman corruption, as it is an element of the life of to-day. The man does not go down all at once; the secret of his ruin is revealed just in this—in his love of display, in that extravagance which leads him to live beyond his means, to indulge in those luxuries for which he is not able to pay, but which, through his credit, he is able to supply. Step by by step does this weak indulgence lead a man onward, but once in the path he knows not where to stop. Appearances must be kept up, his social standard must be maintained; he does not stop to consider the consequences; he is criminally blind to the inevitable results towards which he is tending. At first he spends all that he has at his own disposal; then he draws upon his credit, which is almost unlimited. He sees no way of paying for what he obtains in that way, but he trusts to luck, to some chance speculation that shall enable him to meet the demands that he knows must ultimately be made upon him. He does not look upon himself as anything but an honest man at this stage of affairs, for he tells himself that he means to pay it all somehow in the uncertain future. His children are educated in extravagance, the style of living is advanced, associations are formed with the rich, and their practices are naturally imitated. Finally indebtedness grows to such an extent that credit suffers; men who have trusted him begin to press him for the payment of his long-standing obligations. He is in a position where he can lay his hand upon money belonging to the public, or to others. He hesitates perhaps a little at first, but he sees no other way out of his difficulties, so he appropriates all that he dares to, hoping ultimately to make it good, or else to so cover up what he has done as to avoid discovery. Then come discovery and the ruin consequent upon exposure. The wreck of manhood is complete.

There is moral wrong in this extravagance, and there is no man who indulges in it who will not, sooner or later, be corrupted by it. Extravagance is of itself a crime. It is the spectacle of a man living upon others—living upon promises which he knows he has no means of keeping. His life is an hourly falsehood. He knows that he is a poor man, yet his utmost endeavor is to deceive the world into the belief that he is a rich one. Living upon false pretences, his moral nature, as a natural result, is weakened, and he is gradually made ready through this course of long deception to fall a victim to the temptation that shall seal his ruin.

SIGNOR LEONARDO ARENTINO means business. The Signor is an Italian by nativity and a prophet by profession—a prophet of evil. He predicts that the world is to be destroyed next month, and has prepared an elaborate and startling programme for the occasion. The wreck of matter will begin on November 15th, and it will take fifteen days to finish the job:

First day—The sea will overflow. Second day—The water will penetrate the soil. Third day—Death of fresh-water fish. Fourth day—Death of sea animals. Fifth day—Death of the birds. Sixth day—Fall of houses and buildings. Seventh day—Fall of the rocks. Eighth day—Earthquake. Ninth day—Fall of the mountains. Tenth day—Men become dumb. Eleventh day—The graves will open. Twelfth day—Rain of stars. Thirteenth day—Death of all mankind. Fourteenth day—Destruction of heavens and earth by fire. Fifteenth day—General resurrection and last judgment.

Let all concerned take notice and supply themselves with fire-proof shirts—or take to the woods.

The Catholic Columbian publishes the old familiar night prayer, "Now I lay me down to sleep," and inquires how many know that it has a companion piece in this pretty morning prayer:

Now I wake and see the light,
'Tis God has lent it me through the night;
To him I lift my voice and pray
That He would keep me through the day.
If I should die before 'tis done,
O, God, accept me through Thy Son.

THE SAUNTERER.

Here's a conundrum that the Saunterer would like to put to the men who are hauling dirt upon our streets: Why is it that when a load of dirt is taken to the dumping ground the first load is always dumped upon the outer edge of the ground, the next a little further back, and so on *ad infinitum*, thus compelling the poor heavily-laden horses to draw their loaded carts over such piles, tugging, panting and sweating, when this extra pulling might all be avoided by carting the first load back to the farthest point? It is pitiful to see the way in which such work is done, and to witness the merciless belaboring of the poor beasts when they come to this unnecessary tug. It passes my philosophy to understand why these things need be.

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The Saunterer met a happy family going out from the city one day last week on a queerly-extemporized vehicle. Two or three long boards had been laid across the axles of some heavy cart wheels, and on these boards were seated the whole family of five or six persons, sitting single file along the length of the line, mixed up with bundles and packages that had evidently been purchased in town. They were a contented-looking lot of people, their faces all aglow with pleasure, careless of style and as happy as a big sunflower with its face to the sun. There's nothing like being content with what you have. That's just about where happiness finds you.

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I notice that many of the ladies who have canaries are careless about hanging their cages in the hot sun. Those poor little prisoners in their uncovered cages I have often seen panting in the white heat of the noon, evidently suffering intensely. This thoughtless cruelty to those innocent pets ought not to be.

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There's too much fast driving upon our streets. It not only endangers the life and limb of pedestrians, but it is cruelty to the horses. Friday—and how hot the day was!—two gentlemen drove a fine, spirited horse into town at a fast race speed, and the animal was perfectly covered with the white lather of perspiration. When he stopped he was all of a tremble with his overexertion. Such, and other spectacles of cruelty to animals are too common with us.

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When horses are left standing for two or three hours upon the street, why can't their check lines be loosened? If we had a Berg here it would keep him busy to attend to the horses needing help from this cause alone.

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Passing up Spring street the other day it occurred to the Saunterer to wonder what all the busy crowd of pedestrians along the walks were thinking of. I listened as I passed along, and broken exclamations came like pointers to my ears. One woman was saying, as she stood near a dry goods house, "Oh! what a bargain! They think they got a bargain," and next came chiming in, "Dear me, the baby's real sick," and passing on I was sure that a real estate man was talking, for I heard, "O you needn't be afraid. Land's going right up; you won't lose a cent on it," and a little farther away another prophet, "There's going to be a big boom here this winter." Then came a group of pretty girls, buzzing like bees, with their careless talk, "Yes, I'd like him if he wasn't such a silly dude." Then two ladies, one with widows' weeds, "I'm trying to live for my children's sakes" than a gay flirt, "O, you little goose, Nell, I don't believe in hearts." And so the crowd drifted by, and the Saunterer had found their little doors open to their inner lives.

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The Saunterer can always tell when dinner is waiting in the homes along the way by the looks of the anxious house-wives who come to the window, looking hurriedly up or down the street for their missing lords. There's a class, too, who always hang on the front fence and look, and some I see go out with a smile of welcome and others meet the tardy husband with looks of reproach. 'Tis trying, I suppose, to have a good dinner spoiled by waiting, but scolding don't remedy the evil.

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I was out driving in the suburbs a few days ago. Of course, I went openeyed, as it is my business to. Well, I saw a pretty picture. There was a rude little cottage back from the highway. To the front of it, nearer the street, was a line of graceful pepper trees, and in their shadow a line of dead grasses. Here sat two little trim colored girls, dressed in a single garment, a Mother Hubbard gown, of flowing red. Their kinky hair had been twisted till it stood out like curved horns all over their heads, and their black eyes shone like glistening black beads, and in their hands they each held a flaming hollyhock. They were both intent in studying it. They evidently were trying to find out how it was put together and what lay in its heart. They were thoughtful little faces, but the look of interest on them it was pleasant to see.

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The Saunterer met, the other morning, some ladies who are interested in the Woman's Home. The Home is full and prospering, and there is a demand for more roomy quarters. The Society has purchased a fine lot on Fourth street, near Main, and they will soon erect a commodious building, which will contain, aside from parlors, dining room, offices, etc., at least twenty bedrooms, and that is much larger number of young ladies can be accommodated than at present. The institution will grow in favor with those whom it is designed to benefit, so soon as its object is more fully understood. It is not a charitable institution, and no lady entering it is compelled to sacrifice in the least her independence. It is simply intended to be, in the largest sense, a *home* for those who are away from home, a place where all the purity, the culture, the refinement and the sympathy that should cluster about the home life may centre, and the advantages of home be enjoyed. It is destined to be something of which Los Angeles may be proud.

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The Saunterer came across a poor little innocent, tender-hearted boy a few days since, who was crying bitterly. "What's the matter, my little man?" I inquired, "O, Nellie is mad at me 'cos I wrote her a letter and called her a darling, but I couldn't spell darling, so I spelled tub, an' she says I'm a bad, naughty boy, and she won't play with me any more. O dear, I feel *so bad*," and that first bitter life-sorrow filled all the heart of the little fellow. Oh, childhood has its bitter sorrows, hard to bear while they last, but thank heaven! they are like the April clouds, quickly followed by sunshine.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Governor Stoneman and family are at the Occidental, San Francisco.

Judge J. D. Hines, of Nordhoff, is registered at the Lick House, San Francisco.

Senator John F. Miller and family are now at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco.

Judge Sawyer, of the United States Circuit Court, has gone to Oregon.

The Marquis of Queensberry and Sir John Lister Kaye left San Francisco for the East on Friday.

Homer B. Sprague, the new President of Mills' Seminary, has arrived from the East.

State Senator Henry Vrooman, of Alameda, has gone East for the sake of his health.

Charles M. Ellsard, a California '49er, died Tuesday in St. Louis, aged 65. He was well-known as the owner of the old Bay View race track. He kept a store in Auburn, Placer county, in 1849. Went to San Francisco a year later, and for some time had considerable prominence in the local politics of that city, leaving California "for good" in 1853.

POMONA.

Where the Pomologists of the County Assembled Yesterday.

A FRUIT COLONY AND ITS UPS AND DOWNS.

The Convention and its Good Work—Fruit Exhibit—Essays and Discourses—Banquet in the Evening.

In 1875 the Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association laid off the town of Pomona, built a hotel and invited settlement. At first the hotel was Pomona and Pomona was the hotel. Beside this, the attractions offered were a broad expanse of valley land, through which the Southern Pacific Railway had been recently constructed, and away to the northeast two or three miles the visitor was shown some cienegas, which, it was thought, could be relied upon to furnish a water supply for the new colony. It required some faith to bet on Pomona then, although events have proven that the bet would have been a safe one. Yet the settlement, young as it is and prosperous as it is now, has seen its ups and downs. When the lands were first offered, a few men made purchases, and some of their number set out to improve their places. The Co-operative Orchard Association planted a tract of 100 acres, and placed L. M. Holt in charge.

THE TUG OF WAR.

But Pomona languished. The water had not been piped down from the cienegas and irrigation was slow and difficult. Without water, without life. Then the hard times came on. There was absolutely no movement of real estate. People began to lose faith in even the older settlements, and a new place that banked so largely on hope as did Pomona was nowhere. The Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co.-operative Association was caught between the upper and the nether mill-stones and was ground fine. The land went back to the original owner, Louis ("Chino") Phillips. A few settlers in the place made their peace with Mr. Phillips to secure title, and kept their places, working hard and hoping against hope. Later, the hotel caught fire and burned to the ground.

A NEW START.

In 1882 the breath of life was breathed into the settlement by the Pomona Land and Water Company, of which Mills and Wicks were the principal movers. Water rights were acquired in the cienegas, where artesian wells had been sunk, and in the mountain cañons close by. A comprehensive water system was established by piping the water down from its source, building a four-million gallon reservoir and thence distributing water through the tract. Good times returned simultaneously, and set ders poured in thick and fast. The new-comers were of a thrifty, enterprising class, and, putting their shoulders to the wheel along with the staunch pioneers, they made the car of progress get up and roll. The result is that to-day Pomona is one of the most thriving and successful colonies in Southern California. The town itself is assuming creditable proportions and does a lively trade. There are now not less than forty stores and shops of various kinds, and more are building. J. E. McComas, one of the pioneers, is erecting a brick block, to contain three large store-rooms. The land company is completing a fine hotel, built in the villa style, the cost of which is not less than $15,000. It stands in the midst of three acres of lots, and the sum of $10,000 has been set aside for the beautifying of the premises. Four or five cottages are to be constructed on the lot, entirely detached from the main building, for the accommodation of families and boarders who prefer the privacy of life with the advantages of a hotel at the side-door. There are four school buildings in the district, representing a value of $25,000. Seven teachers are employed, with Prof. Little as superintendent. During the year 1884 fully two hundred buildings were erected, including five brick blocks. The rate of progress thus established in 1884 has been fully maintained in 1885, and there is no question but that, with its spienmore than lameness to back it, Pomona will continue to grow in arithmetical ratio. It is bound to be one of the best inland towns of Southern California.

THE FRUIT-GROWING PART.

But pomology is, after all, does not center so much in the town itself as in the outlying country, and the productive and promising fruit farms which make the town possible. The original Pomona tract comprises about 2700 acres; the Meserve and Loop tract adjoining is 2000 acres. Upon the center of these the town is located, and the lands immediately surrounding are divided into five, ten, fifteen and twenty-acre places. The area of 4700 acres thus allotted was added to extensively by the Pomona Land and Water Company's purchase of the Ganesha ranch, so that their whole tract is not less than 12,000 acres. Geographically speaking, Pomona may be said to reach from the Spadra on the west to the county line on the east, three miles, and from the Sierra Madres on the north to Chino Phillips's ranch on the south, six miles. It is a long strip extending northeast from the San José valley.

There are probably 1500 people living in the town of Pomona, and in the entire settlement, 3000.

WATER.

The water supply of the tract is derived principally from artesian wells. There are thirty-five of these wells constantly flowing. The company have twenty-six wells, with an aggregate flow of 750 inches of water. Twelve of these wells are in a space of less than thirty acres. The wells range in depth from 160 to 200 feet, and pass through three artesian strata. Supplementary to the artesian wells and somewhat akin, are the cienegas. The flow from these cienegas owned by the company is 200 inches. The flow is so constant and regular that no effort has been made to increase or develop it. From the San Antonio cañon only a portion of the water belonging to this company has been developed. The total amount of water now ready for use approximates 1000 inches. Aside from this, there are nine private wells and several cienegas in the colony. There is water enough developed to-day to irrigate the entire valley adjacent to the town. Pomona may therefore be awarded the palm of being one of the best watered colonies in all Southern California.

The water is extensively used to a successful fruit-growing region are here found strongly marked;—soil a light loam, strong, deep, warm and well drained; temperature moderate in winter, and in summer high enough to bring out the full saccharine qualities of fruits. The locality is excellently suited to oranges, lemons, apricots, prunes, pears, apples, nuts and grapes, both of the wine and raisin varieties. In fruit production Pomona may be set down as the happy medium. It has capacity for a wide range, all of which it grows well.

PINE PLACES.

C. E. White, an old-time citizen of Los Angeles and one of the original incorporators of the Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co.-operative Association, occupies as a homestead the forty-acre farm planted by the Co-operative Orchard Association. He owns another forty-acre place close by. Both are planted to oranges, lemons, apricots, prunes, pears, olives and grapes. For raisins he grows the Malagas, and considers them more productive here than the Muscat.

With his neighbor across the street, Mr White is the owner of an artesian well which produces a constant flow of eighteen inches of water. They have the water piped and their places take it each a week at a time, "turn and turn about." Both have water galore.

And, by the way, I might as well say that this neighbor, Mr. Packard, has the most charming bit of dooryard that my eyes have ever rested upon. Green velvet plush is a simile that does not over-describe his lawn. A bed of foliage plants massed in the middle of the lawn would send an artist or an æsthete into rhapsodies.

THE CONVENTION.

Among the passengers out from Los Angeles Friday, bound for the convention, were Geo. Rice and wife, T. A. Garey, Dr. O. H. Congar and wife, Albert F. Kercheval, F. R. Willis, of Downey; Fred. Alles, of the Rural Californian, and wife; Milton Thomas, T. B. Bard, of Fresno; I. W. Lord and wife; E. H. Spalding, and a representative of the TIMES.

Arrived at Pomona, the first object of inspection was the skating rink, where a committee of ladies and gentlemen were busily engaged in decorating the walls and stage, and in arranging a display of fruits on a long central table. In a cursory glance I noticed oranges, lemons, limes, peaches, pears in great variety, apples that would stump the country, chestnuts, almonds, walnuts, grapes in profusion and of many varieties, quinces, figs, pomegranates, olives, raisins and preserved fruit in jars till my mouth watered. I cannot attempt to give a list of the exhibits in detail. Downey was allotted one corner of the hall, where a creditable exhibit of fruits was made. There was another exhibit not quite so creditable; to-wit, a lot of white scales done up in jars of pickle and served fresh in glass boxes. "However," as many remarked, "we've got to face the music, and we may as well begin now." When the people become thoroughly educated and thoroughly *scared* they will conquer the white scale.

THE EXERCISES

Were announced to begin at the slightly previous hour of 9 o'clock. But at that time the committee were just getting in the chairs, and not half the people were on hand. At 10 everything was ready for a call to order, and the work of the convention proceeded.

THE CONVENTION.

Interesting Papers and Discussions on Pomological Topics.

Special Dispatch to The Times.

POMONA, Oct. 3.—The Rink was filled with ladies and gentlemen. The convention was called to order by Charles Wells, Chairman of the Programme Committee. The exercises comprised an anthem by the choir, prayer by Rev. P. S. Ruth, quartette by members of the choir, an address of welcome by J. E. McComas, music by the Pomona cornet band, an address by H. Hamilton, President of the Pomological Society, the report of the Committee on By-laws, signing of the constitution.

An essay of M. Thomas on deciduous fruit culture was followed by a long discussion by Messrs. Wells, Garey, Salice, Rice, Dr. Congar, G. E. McComas, L. M. Holt, W. G. Wheeler, Joel Parker. Recess was then taken for dinner.

In the afternoon there was a trio by N. P. Oakes, F. A. Palmer and Miss Emma Parsons, which was encored.

The essay of Dr. Hiller on fruit preserving was read by Fred. Alles. It took strong ground against sulphuring fruit in drying. A discussion followed, with advocates both ways on the sulphuring question. A speech was made by Mrs. Parker, of Anaheim. She not only got the last word, but silenced the discussion, and was voted an honorary member of the society.

The paper on raisin-making, assigned to Robert McPherson of Orange, was not given.

Dr. Congar, by invitation, illustrated a new apparatus for budding trees and vines, of his own invention.

Resolutions were passed on the death of J. E. Hollenbeck, Treasurer of the society.

E. H. Workman was elected to fill the vacancy.

Resolutions were introduced by W. A. Spalding, extending a welcome to the State Fruit Growers' Convention to meet in Los Angeles, November 16, and appointing a committee to make arrangements. A committee was appointed for Los Angeles, consisting of Messrs. Spalding, Rice, Thomas, Kercheval and Garey. The committees in other towns in Southern California are to be appointed.

A resolution to change the name "Los Angeles County Pomological Society" into "Society of Southern California," was voted down.

An address was delivered by Prof. Wheeler, President of Ontario Agricultural College.

A paper was read by J. De Barth Shorb on marketing fruit.

Exhaustive and interesting papers on the same subject were presented by Messrs. Steele, of Tustin, and Salice, of Pomona.

A motion was passed to appoint a committee to confer with Mr. Shorb and associates in the discussion of a plan of organized shipments.

Resolutions of thanks to essayists, members of the Programme Committee and the people of Pomona were passed.

Pasadena was selected as the next place of meeting, on the first Thursday in January.

In the evening a banquet was held.

H. T. in San Bernardino.

Times.]

Never has San Bernardino been so full of tramps and suspicious, ugly-looking characters as now. It is impossible to go a block without encountering from one to a dozen of these toughs, who care nothing about jostling against business men as they pass along, or clogging up the street corners, and thinking that any one can go out of their way to get around them. Women are afraid to venture on the street even in open daylight for fear of molestation; and not longer ago than last Saturday afternoon one lady was grossly insulted by a half-drunken loafer on the corner of Third and D streets, and had he been identified a little later by the lady's husband, the officers nor the law would have been needed to give the scoundrel what he so richly deserved—a lasting rebuke. Something should certainly be done, and done at once, to rid the city of this tough element. The officers complain that the force is insufficient to protect the town from the evil doings of the numerous tramps that are now here. If this is true, it is the duty of the town trustees to put more officers on the force. Employ as many men—and let them be good men, too—as the situation demands, and lose no time in making the appointments.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

The railroads of Pennsylvania employ 70 000 men.

It will take three months and $2000 to mount Jumbo.

Carlotta has turned her forty-sixth year, and is recovering her reason.

Benjamin W. Gould, the eminent astronomer, was 65 years old last Sunday.

Lady Tennyson is in a state of ill-health that causes her friends great anxiety.

Ex-Governor Talbot, of Massachusetts, is seriously ill at his home in Billerica.

Mrs. Van Cott has more magnetic power than any other lady preacher in this country.

Cola Stone, the champion long-distance wheelman of the world, has just died at St. Louis.

The Hon. Hannibal Hamlin will wear an overcoat again this winter for the third season in his life.

At Sulphur Well, Ky., there is a curiosity in the shape of a healthy baby 9 months old that weighs only four pounds.

Governor Stoneman is one of five directors in a newly-formed corporation in Los Angeles county known as the Orange-Growers' Protective Union.

Miss Clara Barton, the heroine of three wars and President of the Red Cross International Association, one of the most practical and influential women in the world, has recently declared for women suffrage.

October.

The golden woods shine like a glory;
The air is as calm;
The la d is as fair as a story;
The waves sing a psalm;
Like c- sacre of incense
The pungent swift odors ascend;
And far in the distant horizon
Where sea and sky blend,
We know not where heaven beginneth
Or where Earth may end.

Dear Heart! read the joy
And the sweetness; endeavor to see
The lessons in all its completeness
That God giveth thee;
So full of the light of the spirit
The body sh ·ald glow
When nearing its time of departure,
That we could not know
Which step crossed the threshold
Of Heaven and left us below!

—M. E. B. in October Wide Awake.

IRVINGTON.

Readable Description of a New and Attractive Foothill Settlement

ON THE CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN R. R.

Beauty and Advantages of the Town Site—Fine Soil, Abundance of Water, and Charming Climate.

While on a recent jaunt through Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties—pursuing rather a circuitous route in visiting the well-known towns and settlements on account of frequent *detours* toward the ever-attractive mountains—I found myself at Irvington. The pure, dry air, the richly diversified view of mountains and valley, the proximity of the pine-covered slopes above, the facilities for communication with the outer world, and the abundant opportunities for rest in the cool seclusion of adjacent cañons, all combined to draw from me willing homage to the charms of this locality. But in order that you may peep through my spectacles I must be permitted to indulge in a few "Gradgrind facts."

Irvington is owned by a stock company, composed principally of residents of Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties, and is located on the California Southern Railroad, at the base of the San Bernardino mountains. It consists of 2200 acres, descending in a broad, gentle, continuous slope, broken only by low hills near the southern limit.

Irvington is nearly 2000 feet above sea-level, and the climate is delightful indeed. On an average the nights are a trifle warmer than in the vicinity of Los Angeles, and the sea breeze is slightly tempered by passing over the mountains, yet is still fresh and invigorating. Frost, fog and dews are almost wholly unknown, and the pure, dry air, free from malarial poison, will prove a strong attraction to sufferers from pulmonary difficulties, rheumatism, neuralgia and kindred ills.

But a foggy morning below is a marvelous sight for the on-looker in the sunshine at Irvington. The valley is hidden by a billowy ocean that engulfs the intervening hills, or tosses white cloud-waves about their summits. Some such scene as this must have been in the thoughts of the camper when he wrote these lines that I found floating in the Eastern press:

"White tenting on a quiet mountain's side,
One more I woke to find the vale below—
Its fruitful groves, and vineyards stretching wide
Past cottage homes where palms and aloes grow—
Had vanished. In its stead an ocean rolled;
A mystic sea; and through its billowed spray
Dim outlines of the distant hill-tops lay
On the white waste—green islets wavy controlled.
What though the rugged canyon's leafy pride,
Sheltered by frowning cliffs, lay far apart?
A strong arm of the restless swelling tide
Curled round swept into the inmost heart.
I watched the surges wash upon the shore,
And murmured—*this is hear the breakers roar!*"

The soil is a rich, mellow loam of great depth, a sandy loam at the lower part of the tract, while nearer the mountains it is composed of disintegrated granite. The finest orange soil in the world for raising both citrus and deciduous fruit. The adjoining ranch of Mr. Meyer, which is really but a continuation of Irvington, furnishes abundant reason for this statement. His fine young orchards and extensive vineyards have made a wonderful growth since they were planted, less than two years ago. Beyond the line of Hall, Sunday, October 4, at 7 p. m. Subject: "Spiritualism—what it is, and what it proposes to do."

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Church Notices.

To secure insertion in the SUNDAY TIMES, all notices of a religious character must be legibly written and concise, stating the facts in as few words as possible. Notices should be sent in from every week—as none will be kept standing on account of the inability to error—and must reach this office before nine o'clock on Saturday nights.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY, MASONIC Hall, 251½ block south of the Nadeau.—At 11 a. m., preaching by the Rev. Dr. Stebbins, of San Francisco. No evening service.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH, FIRST ST.—Rev. F. C. Coltbeck, of Branford, Canada, will preach morning and evening.

THIRD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, cor. Hoover and Adams streets.—Preaching in the evening only, by Rev. A. F. Bicknell, of Oxford, Mass. Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock p. m.; George T. Manly, Superintendent. The public are cordially invited. Seats free.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Subject to-morrow at 11 a. m.: "Intemperance the great destroyer." Preaching at 7½ p. m. Good music. All are invited.

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Y. M. C. A. HALL, NADEAU BLOCK.—Dr. Stephen Bowers will lecture this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Subject: "Science and the writings of Moses—do they agree?" Public invited; free to all. Regular Gospel service at 4 o'clock.

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much of our road lay in shadow. But, as we rounded a curve,

Behind our pathway turned from night;
The hills swung open to the light;
Through their green gates the sunshine showed,
A long slant splendor downward flowed.

Down glade and glen and bank it rolled;
It bridged the wooded stream with gold;
And, borne on piers of mist, silted
The shadowy with the sunlit side!"

During the steepest part of the road all walked except the driver. There was a post in the company, whom we felt to be a public benefactor, for he interpreted our heartfelt, though voiceless appreciation of the scenes about us, and put it in flowing meter. But during this climb he dropped to the level of ordinary mortals. The Spirit of Poesy deserted him for a season, and the few words he uttered as he panted upward were in the most prosaic prose.

It was dusk and quite chilly when we reached the first saw-mill. We were fortunate in finding an unoccupied cabin with a huge fire-place, where we speedily had a fire of pine logs roaring. The frost that night (September 11) was a decided change from the summerland we had just left. A number of campers have been up here during the season, and at this time two families from Los Angeles still remained.

I often wonder why it is that almost everyone goes to the beach for recreation and rest instead of to the mountains. To me there is nothing so invigorating as the soft, dry air, laden with the balsamic odors of fir and pines. Each breath seems more refreshing than the last. This exhilarating air had its effect upon our Poet, who abandoned the couplets to which his genius had hitherto been confined, and soared aloft in quatrains, thereby creating great anxiety in camp, as this seemed a strong indication of cerebropathy. (He recovered on returning to a lower level.)

The altitude at this point is something over 4000 feet, about the same as at Yosemite. And as I sat on a great log the next morning, it seemed as if I were again in that Happy Valley. There were the same towering pines and firs, the moss-bedecked incense cedars, the bunches of mistletoe on the great oaks, the ground carpeted with brakes and pine-needles. I listened instinctively for the thunder of the Yosemite Fall, and looked off toward the west, half expecting, for the moment, to see the bold outlines of El Capitan.

The Irvington Company have 160 acres of this forest land, on which is a valuable water right. Near at hand, from the summit of Mount Slide, is a magnificent view of the Mojave and San Bernardino valleys.

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A. F. A.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE SOUTHERN BIVOUAC for October is, as usual, an interesting number. As its name would indicate, it has much literature relating to the old war days, and many of the military movements are given from a Southern standpoint. It has an able corps of writers, and divides its columns between history, literature, poetry and art. It is well illustrated, and will hold a respectable place among the magazines of the day.

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Dr. Chas. A. H. de Szigethy,
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Farm and Range.

A Disappointment.

Those most interested in the extermination of the cottony cushion scale have been looking forward, with the hope of good results, to a visit from Prof. C. V. Riley, Entomologist of the Agricultural Department at Washington, which was promised us in the near future. It was thought that his experience would be of great service in suggesting practical methods of exterminating the pests. As will be seen by the letter appended, these hopes are doomed to disappointment. Writing to the Rural Press, Prof. Riley says: "The exigencies of office duty and the delay of the printing of two reports now in press, have compelled me to abandon, for the present, a contemplated trip to California. I make this announcement very reluctantly, as I had anticipated from the trip not only great profit, entomologically, but much needed respite from office cares.

"Commissioner Coleman desires me to state that he has also been obliged to abandon his coming for the present, and chiefly because of the serious illness and death of his youngest son, about the time originally set for leaving."

Robin Railroad and His Magnifyer.

To the Editor of the Agricultural Department: I know a thing or two about chickens and eggs. In fact, I am somewhat acquainted with the Gallinaceous tribe of animals. Have had an experience of nearly three score and ten years. My mother was a Lieutenant-General in this grandest army of the republic before I was born. I have abundant reason to remember the putting on of the shoulder-straps—and the hip-straps, too, for that matter—when she commissioned me Major-General. I was taught one of the most important lessons of a soldier—to obey orders. Eggs are eggs now-a-days to what they were in those early days. For the ten years last past we have received, on an average, as much for twelve dozen eggs as we did then for one hundred dozen, and as much for one dozen hens as we could then for eight dozen. For instance, peddlers paid us then from fifty to seventy-five cents per dozen for hens and from three to four cents per dozen for eggs.

War of extermination is being waged against the red, the black, and cottony scale bugs, and I am real glad of it. It has to be done if we make a success in citrus-fruit raising, and yet there are bugs doing twice the damage in another branch of husbandry, in this valley. The greater part of the fleshless, sickly-looking chickens brought to this market, which we buy and eat, are made so by lack of food and the depredations of these bugs. I have an anxious desire to tell my fellow ranchmen how to get rid of these pests and keep clear of them, so that they may bring to market healthy chickens which will be snapped up quickly by poultry dealers for, be assured, they know when they see healthy chickens.

I had a long bout examining the eye and comb of a sick hen to-day under a good magnifyer, and I must say it was a most interesting study to me. The more I think of it, and the more I examine into the matter, the more I am convinced that we have never understood the cause of the diseases with which our chickens have been afflicted. Let any one try the experiment with a good lens for the first time, and it will make his eyes bulge out to see what is going on upon a hen's head, all which he is utterly unable to see with his naked eye. I am not going to accuse my brother and sister, who are trying to raise chickens and eggs for a living, of ignorance in general, but I am proposing to tell them something about these bugs, of which they know just nothing. I think I am safe in saying that nineteen-twentieths of them never took a microscope and examined a chicken's head to see what did sicken it, and will be a little surprised to be told that chickens, well cared for, are the healthiest animals on a ranch, except when bitten by bugs, and they will still be more surprised to be told that the chicken business is worth three times as much to this valley as all the citrus fruit produced in it, and that if the business should, by any accident, be wiped out, we would all go crazy in a month, for want of chickens and eggs.

Yours, kindly and truly,

ROBIN RAILROAD.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28, 1885.

FROM ANNANDALE.

Bees and Fruit—A Good Use for Sunflowers.

ANNANDALE, September 26, 1885.—*To the Editor of the Agricultural Department*—SIR: Much is said about honey bees trespassing on fruit ranches. W. W. Bliss says: "The bee has no weapon to puncture the skin of any fruit." I believe he is right, as I have never seen one doing the first mischief, except where some other rogue has opened the door. In my locality, the bee has no inclination to touch fruit in any case. I am raising bees and fruit on the same ranch. For three years I have been drying peaches in the sun, and the bees never molest the fruit.

Three years ago I got some seed barley with wild sunflower seed mixed in it. After harvesting the barley, the sunflowers made their appearance. I tried in vain to destroy them by cutting them often with a scythe. The more I cut them the thicker they grew. They sprouted out below where they were cut, so I let them grow. They required no water except the natural rainfall, and did well in very sandy, granite land. They commenced to blossom in the latter part of July, and continued to bloom up to the latter part of November and sometimes to Christmas. I was told they would ruin my place, and the only way to get rid of them was to plow every month. I concluded they must be of some good, and so they are. My place is to-day a solid yellow flower-bed, the sunflowers being in full bloom. My bees work on the blossoms constantly, and the honey made therefrom is very light in color. The bees are making and storing quantities of it. Just as soon as the seed begins to ripen the birds go for it and leave my fruit untouched. Besides that, my chickens get fat on the seed.

It takes no labor to raise sunflowers and no water to grow them. The wild crop saves the fruit and makes honey. Of course, I have to cut the dry stalks and burn them before seed time, but there is an increase each year of the sunflowers from self-seeding.

S. Z. MILLARD.

THE DAIRY

About Churning Sweet or Sour Milk.

American Dairyman.]

Everybody knows the value of practical experience in solving dairy mysteries. The writer of this at one time had the assistance of one man to help him do all the work in a butter factory, or creamery, where all the milk from a half-dozen herds of cows was made into butter. The butter sold at top figures in a city of a hundred thousand inhabitants. Great care was taken in keeping accounts with milk, cream, butter, and churning. There has already been much diversity of opinion upon the quality of the butter and amount produced, and the ease or difficulty of churning sweet or sour cream, that we tested this matter thoroughly. As to the labor of churning sweet and sour cream, we could see no difference whatever.

It was our custom to take turns at the churn, and as about one-half of the cream, in warm weather when it was hot work to churn, was sour and the other half sweet, it would have been an easy matter for us to have raised a row about who was doing the most work by having to churn the sweet or sour cream, but while we made the point closely that if we had the cream correctly tempered, and we always used a thermometer, the butter was sure to come between twenty-five and thirty-five minutes after starting the churn, whether the cream was sweet or sour. We also kept account of and figured out several hundred churnings of sweet and sour cream, and while there were many remarkable variations in the yield of butter to the pound of cream, yet in the end the figures went the nearer the yields of the two came together, until we came to the conclusion that practically there was no difference, provided, of course, the sour cream had its proper age before churning and the sour cream was not allowed to stand until the acid ate up the butter in it. The simple fact of "souring" has nothing to do with the butter yield, while the correct age, temperature and motion of the churn has everything to do with it. The quality of our butter never materially varied, whether we made it from sweet cream or sour. As for its keeping quality, we made it to be eaten at once, which was always done, and we never had any left for old age to monkey with.

DAIRYING DOTS.

In various countries in Europe where the district is famed for sweet butter, everywhere the makers treat their subject as an art and reap results accordingly. When everything is ready and the cream well stirred, it should be brought into the churn, its temperature being about 58 degrees, or from this to 61 degrees, and to test it a thermometer should always be used. If the dairy is a degree or two below these figures the cream will be all right; if it is too low the cream may be removed to a warmer apartment until it has reached the required temperature.

In salting butter one ounce to the pound is the quantity generally used. Butter should be exposed as little as possible to the air from the time it is taken until packed tightly in tubs, fit for market.

Good butter is a prime necessity of every well set table, and it should be the endeavor of every farmer's family to excel in the quality as well as in the quantity of their butter.

The spontaneous coagulation of milk before it becomes sour may be due to the feverish condition of the animals, their food or the water drunk. A few years ago a dairyman in the vicinity of Rochester had considerable trouble with the premature thickening of milk, and upon investigating, it was found that the cows were drinking water from a filthy pond on his farm. When the cows were given pure water the milk returned to its normal condition. Milk always contains the germs of lactic acid, Duclaux's species of yeast, and the influence of these germs on new milk is determined according to the treatment of the milk and the health and food of the cows from which it is taken.—N. Y. Sun.

The almost unanimous testimony of dairy authorities is that the old process of "working over" butter is now far better accomplished by the brine process of washing. If the process of churning be carried to a point where the butter will be gathered in a large lump, it will have all through the lump more or less buttermilk, in which buttermilk there will of course be membranous or caseous and other solid matter. Not only will the grain of butter be injured, but the kneading will remove little else than the liquid of the buttermilk leaving much of its solid matter incorporated with the butter.

Some interesting experiments have been made in France on the advantages of giving water to milch cows warmed, instead of in its natural cold state. At the Agricultural School of St. Remy, two cows were fed on the same food, but one was supplied with cold water and the other with the water heated to 113 degrees Fahrenheit. The latter yielded one-third more milk.

POULTRY.

Make Your Own Brooder.

A cheap and at the same time excellent brooder for from fifty to one hundred chicks can be made as follows: Make a box two feet square, (outside) fourteen inches deep, with top but no bottom, and one side made to wholly or partly be opened; in center of top cut a hole nine and one-fourth inches square. Take a five gallon coal-oil can to the tinner, have one end taken out and corners cut three inches up, and turn the sides in; in the other end have a half-inch hole and pipe of the same size six inches long riveted over it; on each side of can, six inches from top or closed end, rivet a small catch or stop. Now put your can through the hole in box, and on top of it a board twenty-one inches square, with hole for the pipe. To under side of the board tack pieces of woolen stuff cut in strips to hang down, except, of course, in the center where it rests on the can. Nail a board eight inches high on three sides of the box. A lamp with half-inch wick will complete the brooder. The lamp should be of tin, with rim half an inch high around the top to hold water.

This little contrivance will do everything for young chicks that a hen will, except to scratch their feed and water dishes full of dirt. It can be set in any kind of a shed or building, but should be set with top of box on a level with the floor. If that is not convenient an inclined board for the chicks to run up on will do.

Lice-Destroying Nest Egg.

American Agriculturist.]

An exchange describes nest eggs, made by filling blown egg shells with plaster of paris, to which a few drops of carbolic acid is added. It is thus accomplished: By making a large hole in one end of an egg, and a pin-hole in the other, the contents may be blown out. Plaster of paris, which may be bought at the drug store or of the dealer in mason's and painter's supplies, when wet with water to the consistency of thick cream, will soon set as hard as stone. The mixture will water is made, the carbolic acid stirred in, and the shell is filled. It makes a perfect nest egg, and the warmth of the hen gradually evaporates the carbolic acid. This is said to be sure death to the lice; at least, it prevents nests becoming such a harbor for them as they usually are.

Nests for Hens.

American Agriculturist.]

An empty barrel makes the best nest for a sitting hen. It may be set out in the yard or the orchard, and be safe from rain or storm, and if closed by a loose door in the front at night, there will be no danger from vermin. A flour barrel is sunk in the ground for one-fourth, or one-third its diameter, sloping it a little forward, to prevent rains from beating in. The excavated earth is filled back into the barrel, a nest being made in the center of it. This makes a very convenient arrangement, and gives an earth bottom to the nest, with every facility for controlling the hen and the chicks. If these nests are scattered about the yard, hens will take possession of them, and when one takes to sitting, she may be furnished with eggs, and closed up with a slatted door, or a coop set in front of the barrel, and protected from disturbance by other hens. The coop will serve for feeding and watering the hen, and allow her a place for exercise. As one rarely has things ready when they are wanted for use, it is well to look after such things as these in time, especially when early chicks are raised. Where barrels are not to be had conveniently, coops made in the shape of small sheds, and weather-proof, with loose doors to close them at night, can be made through the winter, in readiness for the early sitters.

The planting of trees along the public roads could nowhere produce more gratifying effects than in this State, and especially since our forests are being so much destroyed as to produce a marked effect upon our annual rainfall. At present the total length of public roads is about 18,750 miles, of which 7250 are bordered with trees, while 4500 miles are already being planted or will shortly be planted. On the remaining 7000 miles the nature of the soil does not admit of plantations. The number of trees already planted amounts to 2,678,603, consisting principally of elm, poplar, acacia, plane, ash, sycamore and lime trees.

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WE, JOHN McNISH AND FRED ZUCKER, do hereby certify that we are partners in business, doing business under the name of McNish & Co., at Azusa, Los Angeles county, California; that our full names are John McNish and Fred Zucker, and that we both reside in Azusa, Los Angeles county, said State; that we are the only members of said doing business under said firm name at said place.

JOHN McNISH, SEAL.
FRED ZUCKER, SEAL.

State of California, Azusa, County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 28th day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, before me, John T. Gordon, a notary public, in and for the Azusa, county of Los Angeles, personally appeared John McNish and Fred Zucker, personally known to me to be the same persons described in, whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

JOHN T. GORDON, Notary Public.

Filed September 29, 1885.

CHARLES N. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.
By LEW. J. THOMPSON, Deputy. se30 1m

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF J. R. HOLLENBECK, DEceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of J. R. Hollenbeck, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the office of Bicknell & White, Rooms 11 to 14, Temple Block, Los Angeles City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Los Angeles.

Dated at Los Angeles City, Sept. 29, 1885.

ELISABETH HOLLENBECK,
Executrix of the last will and testament of J. R. Hollenbeck, deceased. se3 4w

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

Fielding Bacon
vs.
Niel (sometime known as Neal) Duncan.

Sheriff's Sale.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1885, in the above entitled action, wherein Rosa Barnes, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Samuel Frick, defendant, on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1885, for the sum of $802.25, in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 1st day of September, A. D. 1885, recorded in Judgment Book 6 of said Court, at page 424, I am commanded to sell at the front door of the court house in said county of Los Angeles, State of California, the following described real estate, and all the right, title and interest of the said defendant in and to said real estate, lying and being in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lots two (2), three (3), six (6) and seven (7), in block eight (8), and lots four (4), three (3), four (4) and six (6), in block nine (9), of the Sunset Villa tract, according to a map of the Chavez tract recorded in book 5 of miscellaneous records of said county, and map being one of the surveys and subdivisions made of said Chavez tract by E. J. Stevenson in July, 1876, to which map and the record thereof reference is hereby made, the same being made part hereof for description.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 10th day of October, A. D. 1885, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the Courthouse door of the county of Los Angeles, on Spring street, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1885.

GEO. R. GARD,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By A. M. THORNTON, Under Sheriff. se23 4w

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

A. B. Loomis
vs.
Daniel Hasard, individually and as administrator of the Estate of Elvira A. Hasard, deceased, George W. Hasard, H. F. Hasard, Abbie Lechler, Harley Taft, and Mary E. Taft, his wife.

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East half of northeast quarter of section twenty-four (24), township one (1), south range fourteen (14) west, San Bernardino meridian (e ½ of n e ¼ sec. 24, t 1, s 14 w, S B m), containing eighty acres (80).

Public notice is hereby given that

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Dated this 17th day of September, 1885.

GEO. R. GARD,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By A. M. THORNTON, Under Sheriff. sep 17 td

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Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, SAN BERnardino county, State of California.

In the matter of Charles H. Moore, an insolvent debtor.

Charles H. Moore having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Charles H. Moore is hereby declared to be insolvent. The Sheriff of San Bernardino county is hereby directed to take possession of all his estate, real and personal, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his books, vouchers, books of account and paper, and to keep them safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent or to deliver any of his property to him or to any person, firm or corporation or association for his use; and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, except as herein ordered until the further order of this court.

It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before this court at a session thereof, in the courthouse in the town of San Bernardino, in this county, on Monday, the 30 day of November, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said insolvent.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the DAILY TIMES, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Los Angeles, Cal., as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that in the mean time all proceedings against the said insolvent be stayed.

JAS. A. GIBSON,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Notice for Publication of Time for Proving Will.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles.—ss.

In the matter of the estate of John Teahan, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MONday, THE 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the courtroom of this court, Department No. 1 thereof, in Los Angeles City, county of Los Angeles, State of California, has been appointed for hearing the application of John Mortarty, praying that a document now on file in this court, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John Teahan, deceased, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary, be issued thereon to said petitioner, John Mortarty, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated this 30th day of September, 1885.

C. H. DUNSMOOR, County Clerk.
By F. B. FARNUM, Deputy.
Bicknell & White, Att'y's for Petitioner. se24 10t

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF HERVEY B. THOMAS, DEceased.—Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Hervey B. Thomas, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the office of Bicknell & White, Rooms 11 to 14, Temple Block, Los Angeles City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Los Angeles.

Dated at Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 29, 1885.

ELISABETH HOLLENBECK,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Hervey B. Thomas, deceased. se17 4w

Proposals for Grain

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, WHIPPLE BARRACKS, PRESCOTT, A. T., October 1, 1885.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office only until 12 o'clock, noon, WEDNESDAY, October 21, 1885, when they will be opened in presence of such bidders as may attend, for the delivery at Bowie Station, A. T., of four hundred thousand (400,000) pounds of barley and one hundred thousand (100,000) pounds of corn.

The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or accept any proposal for a less quantity than the total bid for.

Blank proposals giving full instructions as to the manner of bidding will be furnished on application to this office, or to the Chief Quartermasters at Fort Bowie, Fort Thomas, Fort Lowell and Fort Huachuca, A. T., or to the Quartermaster's Agent at Maricopa, Benson and Bowie Stations, A. T.

Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grain at Bowie Station, A. T.," and addressed to the undersigned, Quartermaster of the Department.

J. McELROY McGUNNIGLE,
Quartermaster U. S. Army, Chief Quartermaster. oct3 4t oct28 2t

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RECOLLECTIONS OF AN INDIAMAN.

Two Years Aboft the Mast.

CHAPTER VII.

SOUTHEAST TRADE WINDS — SOUTHERN CROSS—NEW STARS APPEAR—SUNSETS — DEATH AT SEA—"GRETCHEN"—THE ENTRY IN THE LOG BOOK—WEST WIND—SAIL VERSUS STEAM—THE ALBATROSS—GOOD HOPE—OCEAN WAVES —THE THIRD OCEAN.

"How wonderful is death!
Death and his brother sleep!"

When the region of the southeast trades were reached, our troubles were for a time ended. The beautiful constellation of the Southern Cross appeared above the horizon, and new and unknown bright stars rose higher in the heavens as we journeyed southward. The course was not shaped directly for the Cape of Good Hope, but somewhat to the south of it, latitude 40 degrees, in order to take advantage of the brave west winds which prevail there.

The Southern Cross, accompanied by the ever-present Magellan clouds, rose higher every night, and was high above our topsail yardarms as they gracefully rose and fell before the favoring gale, and the air was delightfully cool and refreshing after the heated ordeal through which we had passed.

The seasons there were reversed, and the month of March corresponded with September in northern latitudes, so we were to pass the Cape in the—to those north of the equator—pleasant autumn months.

Moons waxed and waned, new stars appeared, and old, familiar constellations disappeared; still the lonely ocean traveler trod the deep. No land had yet been seen. The same brave and favoring gales bore us onward. Around, the vast blue expanse; above, the sky. The sun rose from the deep each morning; at noon his altitude, in passing the meridian, showed us the latitude and southward progress, and when he sat, the cloud picture was the most beautiful mortals were ever allowed to gaze upon. Gorgeous and brilliant sunsets may occur in all parts of the world, but they cannot be excelled by those of constant occurrence in the southern tropics, in the region of the trade winds.

It was a beautiful day in March, like many that had gone before, but the shadow of death was hanging over our ship, and one of her company was passing away. The Swedish sailor, mentioned in a former chapter, was dying. Shipped at the assumed name of Jacob Jansen, we knew nothing of his past sad history and its terrible concealment. He lay in his narrow berth in the forecastle breathing heavily, his long, blonde hair matted and the damps of approaching death bathing his forehead. For hours he spoke but once, and in a wandering way murmured "Gretchen." Certainly he was no ordinary person. The finely shaped head; the slender, though muscular hand, with tapering fingers; the narrow foot and arched instep, all gave evidence of gentle birth and lineage. In his thoughts he was wandering to the far-off Norse-land, and his giant frame suggested a descent from those ancient Vi-kings, who, once all powerful, swept northern seas, but might came on and we had to leave him to his fate for a time alone.

At midnight the great bell struck the hour. A hoarse voice called, "Starboard watch ahoy!" "Turn out all you sleepers!" There was one who slept the long sleep that knows no waking. The dull, cold ear of death can hear no sound. Stiff and stark the dead sailor lay, the dim rays of the lantern fell on his fixed and glassy eyes, and the watch on deck silenced and grieved in gloomy silence the port watch coming below. The men gathered in little groups about the deck and spoke in subdued voices; the long middle watch wore slowly away and a feeling of relief was experienced when daylight at last appeared.

At 8 o'clock in the morning the remains were brought aft and placed at the lee gangway, enclosed in canvas, with weights attached to the feet and the stars and stripes spread over all. The whole ship's company then assembled about the mainmast. "Haul up the mainsail and brace aback the main yard," said the Captain. The clew garnets were manned, the tack and sheet eased off, and confined by bunt-lines, leech and spilling lines, the great white sail rose to the yard above and hung in graceful folds over the sad scene. The heavy yards swung to the wind and the topsail laid against the mast, causing the ship to pause in her career, rising and falling upon the waves as if impatient to be free. Slowly and solemnly the beautiful and impressive words of the Episcopal service fell from the Captain's lips, and when the pause reached, "We therefore commit his body to the deep," the grating on which it lay was raised by four stout seamen, and with a dull plunge it disappeared forever. The main yard was traced around, the topsail filled, a cloud of canvas fell and fluttered to its place, the ship gathered headway, and the grave of the unknown mariner was soon far astern.

The following is a copy of the record which appeared in the log-book:

"Clipper ship Endymion, John Vaughan, commander; from Liverpool, bound for Calcutta, India; South Atlantic Ocean; latitude, 28 degrees, 32 minutes south; longitude, 15 degrees, 20 minutes west, Jacob Jansen, seaman, died; a Swede by birth; name supposed to be assumed; no information as to parentage or relatives."

Thus was added another to the long list of ocean burials. Somewhere I have read the following beautiful thought, brought vividly to mind in narrating this sad occurrence:

"The sea is the largest of all cemeteries, and its slumberers sleep without a monument. All other grave yards show some distinction between the great and the small, the rich and the poor; but in the ocean cemetery the king and the clown, prince and peasant, are all alike distinguished. The same waves roll over all. The same requiem by minstrels of the ocean is sung to their honor. Over their remains the same sun shines, and there, unmarked, the weak and powerful, the plumed and unhonored, will sleep on until awakened by the same trumpet."

Latitude 30 degrees south, and the weather was daily growing cooler. The west winds had now begun and were hurrying us on our way. A large English steamer, bound for Australia, was sighted; we rapidly gained on her and left her at sunset, hull down out of sight. It may seem strange that a sailing vessel should outstrip a steamer, but where steady winds prevail, and on long ocean voyages, such is often the case. A few years ago a company was organized in England, and built at an enormous expense, several large steamers for the Australian trade—among them the Great Britain, next to the Great Eastern, the largest steamer in the world—but the clipper ships made quicker passages, and the steamers were withdrawn after losing heavily for their owners.

Several of the largest and fastest American clippers have been purchased by English houses, and run regularly between Liverpool and Melbourne, making surprisingly short passages, and when the great distance is considered—about 18,000 miles—with wonderful regularity. The celebrated ships Red Jacket, Sovereign of the Seas, and Donald McKay, products of American skill in naval architecture, now sail under the English flag, and John Bull swells with complacent pride as he looks aloft at the Cross of St. George flying from the peak christened by the Stripes and Stars.

Two sides of the great ocean triangle had now about been completed, the southernmost limit nearly reached, and we were running down the long green seas south of Cape L'Agullas. Square before the gale, with two men at the wheel, all sail set forward except the royal, the mainsail and main topgallant sail furled, leaving only the great main topsail, and with the mizzen topsail reefed we went under such singular and seldom-witnessed spread of canvas, tearing through the water and keeping just ahead of the mountain waves that lifted the stern high in air and sent the vessel sliding down their foaming declivities a mile at a stretch. Standing on the forecastle and looking aft, the giant seas appeared to rise above the mizzen topsail yard, and curling over seemed about hopelessly to overwhelm us, when the stern would rise with the sea, and hurl us along another watery descent, making every timber groan, stretching each vibrating rope to its utmost tension, and cause the white and enormous sails to belly out until they seemed ready to burst as they spread their broad concaves to the sweeping blast.

The albatross made his appearance and hovered astern in our wake, and a multitude of Cape pigeons kept us company. One of the men caught an albatross, using a hook baited with a small piece of pork, and after being on board a short time the old fellow grew seasick and seemed to be utterly miserable. It was strange that he should have been so, after spending his whole life on such stormy seas.

The waves that seem so enormous and threaten to engulf the flying ship, in the calm light of scientific research, lose some of their terrors. Waves agitate the water but little below the surface, and it is supposed that the effect of the strongest gales do not extend below the depth of 200 feet.

The crest of the wave is the ridge or highest part, and in strong winds is usually covered with foam; the trough is the depression between two waves, and is as much below as the crest is above the general level of the ocean. In estimating the elevation of a wave, the perpendicular height from the trough to the crest is taken. Waves are sometimes said to run mountains high, but this is a popular exaggeration. The highest rise noticed in the Mediterranean is 16 feet, and 20 feet off Australia. During a storm in the Bay of Biscay the highest waves measured scarcely 36 feet from the base to the summit. In the South Atlantic the result of several experiments gave only an entire height of 23 feet, and a velocity for the undulations of 89 miles per hour, the interval between each wave amounting to 1910 feet. Off the Cape of Good Hope, notoriously the cape of storms, 40 feet is considered the extreme height of waves, or 20 feet above and below the general level of the ocean.

"Another authority remarks that: The height of sea waves is a question that has been much and not always satisfactorily discussed. One difficulty arises from a misunderstanding of terms. Some mean by the height of a wave the actual elevation above the surface of the sea in smooth weather; others mean the distance between the bottom of the hollow of the wave to its crest; and that seems to me the only rational practical way to arrive at a sure result. Taking that, then as the mode of measuring wave-heights, it may be said that Atlantic waves in a gale often rise 25 feet; 30 feet is by no means uncommon in mid ocean, and the second wave sometimes heaves to a height of 35 to 40 feet. Storm waves have a curious rhythm of motion. At intervals three waves larger than usual rush by, of which the middle one is highest. At longer intervals five large waves come together, and very rarely seven. They often come just as a squall is going to moderate, springing up elastically from the pressure of the wind. Sometimes the fury of the wind fairly beats down the sea, and lashes and tears it into foam, or spoon drift, that sweeps over the ocean a white cloud, like snow blown over a frozen lake, and when such a tremendous squall lulls, the waves instantly rise to enormous dimensions. The length and form of waves depend upon the room in which they have to run and the direction of the tides. They are short and abrupt in small seas or lakes. Among the channel islands the counter-currents and tides sometimes raise the waves to over 40 feet in height. These estimates, the result of careful observation, have been made by comparing them with the experience of others who have also given the subject careful study, among whom I may mention the captain of one of the Cunard steamers.

In intricacies of course the waves are far more tumultuous and broken, and near the storm center pyramidal in form, owing to contrary forces and cross seas, and their height is greater. It is not uncommon, off the Cape of Good Hope, to see the waves six feet high, but they have such a distance that they have a long, easy ascent, which renders them less dangerous than the more rug ed waves of the Atlantic.

We had passed the Cape without further incident, and were soon to be in the South Pacific, sweeping up off the east coast of the great island of Madagascar. The westerly gale had abated somewhat, and with additional canvas spread to the breeze we were about to enter the third ocean in our long journey.

[To be continued.]

Fighting off Death.

Greenville Banner.]

Conductor Frazier, of the International and Great Northern Railway, tried to fight off death a few hours in order that he might see his wife once more. He had been shot by a tramp, and had been taken to Tyler, Texas, in a dying condition.

"Help me to fight back this cruel death, boys, until my wife gets here," said the dying man, cheerily.

The doctors had already told him that he could live but a few hours. With a calm courage he heard the verdict, and called all of his wonderful force to his aid in the struggle to live until his wife arrived.

"Tell me exciting stories," he said to the boys around his bed, "for I must make this run till she comes."

And the boys did laugh and tell big stories, poor fellows, when their stout hearts were filled with sad regret. The hours sped rapidly by; the merry voice of the conductor grew fainter and fainter, but his courage never faltered.

A telegram from his wife, in answer to one sent to her some hours before, was brought into the room and read. She was coming on a special train; the road was cleared for her passage and with lightning speed her train was annihilating distance. What a race! A young woman, in the full flush of love and a new life, pitted against the king of terrors. The news nerved Frazer for a moment, and his efforts to keep up were renewed. A little later, another telegram.

"Old boy," whispered a brakeman, "she will be here in an hour."

"Turn me over, boys," he said.

It was done. He whispered to an attendant:

"Charlie, I can not run on this schedule. Goodbye!"

He was dead.

Miraculous.

Chicago Inter-Ocean.]

Samuel Miracle, of Ohio, is the father of seventeen healthy boys. His wife is a Miracle also.

Home Again.

The maiden walks the strand no more
Enjoying the ocean breeze,
Where the tiny wavelets kiss the shore
And the sand is alive with fleas.

No more in a suit of blue or drab
She into the water goes;
She fears no more the voracious crab
That sought to devour her toes.

She is done for the while with seaside hops,
Those innocent dissipations;
She has turned her back on dudes and fops,
And give up beach flirtations.

The maiden is back from her summering
To home and its dear delights,
Back to the garden gate, to swing
With her beau through the autumn nights.

—Boston Courier.

"SAXE-HOLM."

Some Poems and Prose by an Illustrious Authoress.

ONE OF THE LETTERS: THE MINE OF GOLD

"The Pomegranate Blossom"—"The End of Harvest"—"Three Kisses of Farewell."

From "Esther Wynn's Love Letters."]
One of the Letters.

SUNDAY Morning.

MY DARLING: Even this blazing September sun looks dull to me this morning. I have come from such a riotous dream. All night I walked in a realm of such golden splendor that I think even in our fullest noon I shall only see light enough to grope by for days and days. I do not know how to tell you my dream. I think I must put it in shape of a story for two people; but you well know, darling, that in my dream it was you and I. And I honestly did dream it, love, every word just as I shall write it for you; only there are no words which so glow and light and blaze as did the chambers through which we walked. I had been reading about the wonderful gold mines of which every one is talking now, and this led to my dream. You can laugh if you like, sweet master mine, but I think it is all true, and I call it

THE MINE OF GOLD.

There is but one true mine of gold; and of it no man knows, and no woman save those who go into it. Neither can they who go tell whether they sink into the earth's heart or are caught up into the chambers of the air, or led to the outer pavilions of the seas. Suddenly they perceive that all around, above and below them, is gold; rocks of gold higher than they can see; caves whose depths are bright with gold; lakes of gold which is molten and leaps like fire, but in which flowers can be dipped and not wither; sands of gold, soft and pleasant to touch; innumerable shapes of all things beautiful, which wave and change, but only from gold to gold; air which shines and shimmers like refiner's gold; warmth which is like the red gold of Ophir; and everywhere golden silence!

Hand in hand walk the two to whom it is given to enter here; of the gold they may carry away only so much as is hid in their bosoms; grains which are spilled, or are left on their garments turn to ashes; only to each other may they speak of these mysteries; but all men perceive that they have riches, and that their faces shine as the faces of angels.

Suddenly it comes to pass that one day a golden path leads them farther than they have ever gone before, and into a vast chamber, too vast to be measured. Its walls, although they are of gold, are also like crystal. This is a mystery. Only three sides are built walled. The fourth is the opening of a gallery which stretches away and away, golden like a broad sunbeam; from out of the distance comes the sound of rushing waters; however far they walk in that gallery, still the golden sunbeam lies before them—still the sound of the waters is no nearer; and so would the sunbeam and the sound of the waters be forever, for they are Eternity.

But there is a fourth mystery. On the walls of crystal gold, on all sides shine faces; not dead faces, not pictured faces; living faces—warm, smiling, reflected faces. Then it is revealed to the two who walk hand in hand that they are the faces of all who have ever entered in, as they, between the walls of crystal gold; flashing faces of the sons of God looking into the eyes of earthly women—these were the first; and after them all in their generations until to-day, the sons of men with the women they have loved. The men's faces smile, but the faces of the women have in them a joy greater than a smile.

Presently the two who walk hand in hand see their own faces added to the others, with the same smile, the same joy; and it is revealed to them that these faces are immortal. Though all eternity they will shine on the walls of crystal gold, and those who have once looked on them can never more see in each other change or loss of beauty. If, as they walk there, in the broad sunbeam an angel meets them, bearing the tokens of a golden bowl that is broken and a silver cord that is unloosed, they follow him without grief or fear, thinking on that chamber of crystal gold.

Pomegranate Blossom.

Pomegranate blossom! Heart of fire!
I dare to be daring and die.
To slay the wrath of the summer sun
Is quickening thy breath.
To rob the silence of thy wine—
Next year of all ripe seeds of thine,
That flow nearer heart one kiss of mine
To my dear love beating so.

For, Heart of fire, I too am robbed
Like thee! Like thee, I die
Of the strong summer sun of love
In near and warm and high.
The autumn will run red with wine,
The autumn fruits will sting and shine;
But in that little grave of mine
I shall not see them where I lie.

Pomegranate! Heart of fire!
This kiss, so slow, so sad and still,
Thou bearest home can never lose,
Even in death, its heat.
Redder than summer sun run with wine,
Warmer than summer suns can shine,
Forever that hour love set.
Shall find thy sacred hidden sweet!

The End of Harvest.

O Love, who walkest slow among thy sheaves,
Smiling, on time and shape, thy smile of peace,
But whispering of the next sweet year's increase,

O tender Love! thy loving hope but grieves
My heart! I rue my harvest if it leaves
These vainly waiting and these empty sheaves,
Like one who has been mocked by title lease
To barren fields.
Dear one; my word deceives
Thee never. Hearts one summer have. Their grain
Is sown not that which shall be."

Teach me of pain? Or any ecstasy
So new, that I should speak its name again?
My darling, all there was or is of me
Is harvested for thine eternity.

Three Kisses of Farewell.

Three, only three, my darling—
Separate, solemn, slow;
Not like the swift and joyous ones
We used to know
When we kissed because we loved each other,
Simply to taste love's sweet.
And lavished our kisses as the summer
Lavishes heat—
But as they kiss whose hearts are wrung.
When hope and fear are spent,
And nothing is left to give, except
A sacrament!

First of the three, my darling,
Is sacred unto pain;
We have hurt each other often,
We shall again.
When we pine because we miss each other,
And do not understand
How the written words are so much colder
Than eye and hand,
I kiss thee, dear, for all such pain
Which we may give or take;
Buried, forgiven, before it comes
For our love's sake!

The second kiss, my darling,
Is full of joy's sweet thrill;
We have blessed each other always,
We always will.
We shall reach until we feel each other
Pass all of time and space;
We shall listen till we hear each other
In every place.
The earth is full of messengers,
Which love sends to and fro;
I kiss thee, darling, for all joy
Which we shall know!

The last kiss, oh! my darling,
My bravest—I cannot see
Through my tears, as I remember
What it may be.
We may die and never see each other,
Die with no time to give.

Don't Ask Opinions.

Post's Saturday Night.]

Speaking of foreigners, I dined quite recently with a distinguished Englishman who had been visiting here. Of course, somebody asked him what he thought of us.

"I think," he said, "that you are very anxious to know what people think of you, and that after having begged for an honest opinion, you are very likely to become very angry when you get it."

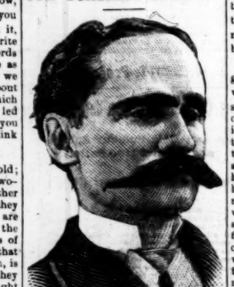
Although apprehensive, the guests all began to look as goodnatured as possible.

"I think," he continued, "that any of you would notice how different the English are in that respect. I dare say most of you have noticed it. In his own country the Englishman does not care what you think of him. He knows you are entitled to your opinions, and is willing you should have them, but he they as favorable or as unfavorable as you like, it matters nothing to him personally."

A little lofty this, perhaps, but a blessing in disguise, my friends, if you will only ponder on it. I would like to get out a circular addressed to every American citizen. It should run something as follows:

Wine and dine the Englishman if you like, to be snubbed by him when you go to England. Copy his clothes and accent if you like, to be laughed at for your pains while you live in America. But, for the dignity of American citizenship, live your own way and don't ask any Englishman's opinion of it.

OUR PORTRAIT GALLERY.



IRA L. DAVENPORT.

All eyes are turned to New York, and the Gubernatorial campaign of 1885 will be an epoch in the history of the State. The hope of the Republican party is centered there, and if they succeed in carrying the State this fall the road for a return to power in 1888 will be made much smoother. The Republican State Convention of 1885 met in Saratoga, September 22d. After organizing, a ballot was taken, in which General Carr received the most votes, although he lacked the number necessary to a choice. The Convention adjourned to 10:30 a. m. on the 23d. During the night of the 22d the real work of the Convention was done, and the programme for the nomination of Ira L. Davenport mapped out. The ticket nominated is conceded as strong by the interest opponent as the Republican party has. It includes Davenport for Governor, General Carr for Lieutenant-Governor, and Alan S. Wood for Secretary of State. The ballot on the morning of the 23d resulted in 214 votes for Davenport against 194 for Carr, others scattering. When it became evident that the former was to be the nominee, many votes were changed in his favor, and finally the motion was made to nominate him by acclamation, which was accordingly done. The platform advocates the strengthening of the civil service laws; protection of American industries; demands a gold money standard, and has a plank for the laboring classes in the demand for the enforcement of the law prohibiting the importation of contract labor.

SKEICH OF THE NOMINEE.

Ira L. Davenport was born at Horsellsville, Steuben county, New York, in 1840. He is the son of Col. Ira Davenport, one of the early settlers of the Southern part of the State. He received his education in the Union School at Bath, and Dr. Russell's Collegiate School in New Haven. Since his majority he has traveled much. His management of the Davenport estate, which he inherited from his father, and which he has largely increased, takes up much of his time. The elder Davenport had invested in Iowa lands when that State was in its infancy, and the town of Davenport owes its name to this fact. Ira L. Davenport is a trustee of the Grand Army of the Republic Soldiers' Home, and Treasurer of the Davenport Female Orphan Asylum. He is very popular at home, and in 1877 was elected to the State Senate, and re-elected in 1879 by large majorities. During his terms in the Legislature he was chairman of the Committee of Commerce and Navigation and a member of other important committees. In 1881 he was made State Comptroller, but in 1883, being again a candidate for the place, was defeated. Following this his health gave way, and he was compelled to make a foreign tour to restore it. He returned with renewed vigor and desire to enter the political arena. The immense wealth and pleasing address of Mr. Davenport, coupled with the fact that he is not in any sense to be considered a machine candidate, makes his nomination a formidable one. He has made good use of his wealth in founding Orphan Asylums and kindred institutions, and is a man of irreproachable character and has a fine sense of honor.

Governor Alvarado's Plan for California.

Hon. Theodore H. Hittell, in October Overland.]

There can be no doubt that Alvarado would have been willing to become the second Washington of a new, free, and independent nation on the Pacific. But he was not a visionary. He soon perceived that there was a very great difference between the Californians and the Anglo-Saxon colonists of the Atlantic side of the continent. He saw that what was practicable for the latter, reared as they had been in a school of freedom and inured to energetic struggle, was entirely out of the question for the former. It became plain to him that the only chance of preserving California for the people of his own race and blood was to preserve it as a part of the Mexican nation.

John Brown's Wife.

The story of this wonderful woman, a fit mate for John Brown of Ossawatomie, is—for the first time, it is claimed—fully told in the October Overland, in a simple and pathetic manner, by a lady of San José, near which city, it will be remembered, Mrs. Brown passed away last year. The union of perfect simplicity with heroism in such a life is almost incredible; and though such women have never been rare in America, it is seldom that any such startling occurrences as called Mrs. Brown, through her husband, to notice, bring their story into print.

Cannot Be Watched Too Carefully.

Boston Transcript.]

While a Virginia man was out watching his melon crop somebody eloped with his wife, and now it's a common thing in his neighborhood for married gentlemen to spend their nights in their melon fields. Melons, they think, cannot be watched too carefully.

His Indian Name.

Chicago Times.]

Rev. Dr. Newman, it is said, is going to return to the West, whence he was called by the death of General Grant. It is also said that the reverend doctor is known among the Indians as The Pious-Man-Who-Is-Never-Too-Late-for-Breakfast.

OUR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Life in the Days of Fairies and Wood Nymphs.

A CHINESE MAGAZINE FOR YOUNG FOLKS.

Delightful Occupations for the Winter—Habits of Flowers—A Tulip's Strange Inhabitant.

It is said by some that in the long ago, when this old world of ours was growing, that men lived so close to nature that they could tell what the birds said when they sang, and what the bees murmured as they buzzed through the air, or the butterflies whispered as they floated along through the golden sunshine. If that be so, it must have been in the days of fairies and the pretty wood nymphs of which we read, when there were beautiful little spirits in the hearts of the flowers, and happy elves to whom the waters sang, and who danced at night in the light of the silver moonbeams.

It is said that the Indian knows a good deal more about nature than the white man does. Not, of course, in a scientific way, for he could call none of the plants and trees by their botanical names, but he knows all about their habits, and a good deal about the proprieties of plants. The woods are his great drug store, where, when he is sick, he goes for medicine, and he is his own druggist and "medicine man." I expect, if we only knew where to find them, we could find among the plants that grow in our fields and woods something that would cure every form of disease. Perhaps when the world is wiser it will be able to find the right plant when it is needed.

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Have you ever thought how fortunate the children of these United States are in having so many fine magazines prepared especially for them every month? There's the "Wide Awake" and "St. Nicholas," and a host of others which belong to you, which are filled with pictures and delightful reading every month. I wonder if you will be glad to know that the little Ung Woes and Ah Sings, and the bright-eyed Ung Hi's and Wo Ke's of China have got a boys' and girls' magazine at last—something like St. Nicholas, I suppose, which the boys and girls of America have to read. Wouldn't you like to see it, with all its funny Chinese pictures? It would look very queer to you, no doubt, but how glad they must be to get it. China has waited thousands of years for it, and her children, poor little things, must have wanted it dreadfully, though they could not have told you it was *that* they wanted, for they did not even know *what* they wanted themselves. But now, I am sure, they will never be willing to do without it again, and every month they will wait for it to come, and look with happy faces at its pages, and laugh their merry laughs over its pictures, and the pictures will seem very fine to them. It is three or four years since its first number was printed, and thousands of Chinese children were made happy by it.

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I would like to suggest a plan to you, boys and girls, which I think would give you great pleasure to carry out. How many of you are situated so that you could have a little square of ground—say just enough for a good sized flower bed? Let me suggest to those of you who are, that before the rains come you buy or get from your friends a variety of flower seeds. Then get your gardens ready, and with the first good rains plant the flower seeds in your bed. It will give you delightful employment before and after school to keep your flower plats in order and free from noxious weeds, and then as the plants grow and the flowers burst into bloom, learn the name of each and all of its parts—be able to analyze each one, till you can tell your parents the number of its petals and all about the pistils, and stamens, and the little pipes in its stem, through which the sap creeps up to keep the flowers fresh and bright.

Did you know that flowers have habits, or ways of acting like ourselves? They all have their habits, are some flowers that shut themselves up at night, and like children go to sleep until the morning comes. Tulips do this. One evening a lady sent me a beautiful bouquet. Among the flowers were some sleepy tulips, which closed up their pretty leaves at nightfall. I placed my bouquet in water and in the morning took it up to smell its fragrance. Among these flowers was a tulip which was just waking up, and as it opened there came buzzing out from it a nosy bumbis-bee. He flew round my head for a few moments, buzzing loudly, as if he were trying to explain how he happened to get caught in the flower, but I could not quite make out whether he was lazy and was loitering about his work, or whether he had been so busy in gathering honey all day that he was tired, and stopped just a moment to rest, and was caught in that way. He hummed so merrily I think he was saying, among other things, "Ah, what a bedroom that was, in the heart of the tulip, with the curtains drawn so snugly, and the wind rocking me to rest. I slept soundly all night, and I am ready for a glorious day's work. But I must say good-by, for I know that my wife and children will be anxious, for I never have staid away from them all night before. Good-by; good-by;" and away he flew, finding his way through the morning, and I've no doubt but he went right home to his nest just to explain how he got caught in the tulip, and then he was off to his work of gathering honey from the flowers.

There are some flowers that hang their head at night as if they were dreaming, but in the morning they lift their heads up and stand erect.

Have you ever heard of the flower which people call *"go-to-bed-at-noon?"* It has got into bad habits, and though it is always ready to get up bright and early in the morning, it always goes to sleep at noon. I should call it the sluggard among flowers.

I suppose that you all know the golden-eyed dandelion which grows so modestly by the wayside. That shuts all its leaves at night, folding them so tightly you would think, if you did not know, that they were green buds that had never yet unfolded. The dandelion is a very wise little blossom, and knows how to take good care of itself, for when the sun is very hot it folds its petals and shuts itself up tight to keep from withering. But when the days are cooler you find it wide-awake through all the long hours of the day, looking like a pretty sun among the grasses.

I remember finding a dandelion once when it delighted me more than the finding of a beautiful gem would have done. I was away up on a dreary island in the Behring Sea, and had been wandering over the bleak and treeless hills; when, as I came down upon the lowlands, I espied among the few wild flowers growing there a genuine dandelion, yellow as gold. I ran to it and picked it, and carried it with me as if it were some rich treasure. I never had seen one so large before. It had done its best to grow under those bleak skies, and somehow I felt as if it had grown especially for me. I always wondered how it found its way there, for it was the only one I found during the ten long months that I was upon the island. Perhaps some little bird had come from afar bearing the seed and dropped it there, or perhaps the winds had brought it from some far-off shore, and the tiny seed had taken root and grown. Anyway, there it was, and it seemed like a friend from home.

Now I have told you something of the habits of some of the flowers, and I hope you will learn more, and that those of you who can will have good garden beds, and study your first lesson in botany among its flowers.

E. A. O.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

A Work of Prehistoric Brasilians.—The remarkable Brazilian hill of Pedroval has been fully described for the first time by Ladislaus Netto in a publication of the Natural Museum of Rio Janeiro. This hill, entirely built by some ancient race of men, stands on the margin of a lake in the island of Marajo, and, although reduced by erosion and weathering to a fifth or sixth of its original size, is still about 1000 feet long, 800 wide and 20 high. In its outlines, those of a gigantic Jabuti turtle, it shows analogies with the works of the mound-builders in the Mississippi basin. Its varied contents include stone implements of all kinds, idols, amulets, and a vast quantity of earthenware, funeral urns, vases, etc. Many of these are covered with remarkably delicate painted or engraved designs, some of them appearing to be hieroglyphic signs and having certain resemblances to the early Chinese, Egyptian and Mexican writings. One inscription seems to tell of long migrations—probably from the Andes highlands down the Amazon valley.

A French physiologist, Dr. Regnard, is endeavoring to study marine animals under their natural conditions, an apparatus designed by Caillotet enabling him to watch the creatures in water under any pressure up to that of 650 atmospheres, which corresponds with that of the sea at the greatest depths at which dredgings have been made—about four miles.

The recent experiments on the British coast to test the relative merits of oil, gas and electricity for lighthouses, have resulted in the decision of the committee that oil is the most suitable and economical illuminant for ordinary necessities, and that electricity offers the greatest advantages when very powerful light is needed.

Length of Heat Waves.—The luminous rays of the solar spectrum have wave-lengths hanging between the narrow limits of .000014 and .000025 of an inch. Below these are dark heat-rays of somewhat greater wave-length, but Prof. S. P. Langley finds good reason for believing that the heat radiated by the sun has a wave-length twenty times as great as that of the lowest visible liae in the solar spectrum, and that there are probably wave-lengths of something more than one two-thousandth of an inch. These rays are of much less than solar importance, as showing that all heat is not of the same quality as that of the sun.

An Error Corrected.—At a recent meeting of the French Academy of Sciences, Colladon corrected a popular belief by remarking that the prostration of masses of metal in a building does not add to the risk of being struck by lightning, provided the metal is not connected with the ground by a good electric conductor. In case the building is struck, however, the prostration near the metal are very liable to be set on fire.

By carefully conducted experiments, Mr. J. C. Arthur has demonstrated that bacteria are the direct cause of the disease known as pear-blight. Sap from an affected tree invariably produced the disease when inoculated into a healthy tree.

Valuable as is the microscope to various sciences, its use alone does not properly constitute a distinct science. This fact has been at length recognized by the American Association for the Advancement of Science, which, at its recent Ann Arbor meeting, abolished its section of microscopy.

In the Mark Museum, at Dantzig, is now a piece of amber for which £1500 has been refused. It weighs eight pounds, and is probably the largest piece in the world without flaws. A museum at Berlin contains a piece, once owned by Frederick the Great, weighing thirteen pounds, but it has gaps and cavities.

Aluminum Alloys.—From recent investigations it appears that aluminum greatly increases the strength of metals alloyed with it. With a cheapened method of making such alloys, by means of a new electric furnace, Messrs. E. H. and A. H. Cowles and C. F. Mayberry have added aluminum to copper in the proportion of two per cent., and obtained a product which is stronger than brass and would serve as an excellent substitute for that metal. With five per cent. of aluminum an alloy was produced having a tensile strength equivalent to a strain of 68,000 pounds to the square inch. The addition of two or three per cent. of aluminum doubled the strength of common brass; and a composition of copper, nickel, zinc and a small per centage of aluminum will stood a strain of 105,000 pounds to the square inch, and has been named "Hercules metal." Though very abundant, forming the base of common clay, aluminum, either pure or in alloys, has been obtainable only by expensive processes.

Our Pitcher Plants.—The North American pitcher plants, states Mr. W. Watson, of Kew, number only seven species. There are six species of *Sarracenia*, all characterized by the same trumpet-shaped leaves, growing in tufts, and in several species attaining a length of a yard; and the seventh kind of pitcher plant is the *Darlingtonia Californica*, the top of which is curved over, forming a sort of hood, and having a rather small aperture at each side. While the *sarracenias* allure and finally destroy insects in their pitchers, botanists do not yet know whether the entrapped insects furnish nourishment to the plants, although it has been proven that animal food is not essential to the plant's existence.

It has been discovered that heaps of unripe rice soon undergo a process of fermentation which is said to give the grain a delicious flavor.

The Illinois "Idee."

Clarion Jacksonian.]

A backbone nine inches in diameter has been unearthed in Illinois. Strange, too. We don't remember of having seen it stated anywhere that President Cleveland's ancestors came from Illinois.

Butler's Advantage.

Savannah (Ga.) News.]

It is thought that Gen. Butler will make a very able cowboy, as he can look at one steer and lasso another one that is not expecting anything of the kind.

Dolce Far Niente.

My friend, my chum, my trusty crony,
We were designed, it seems to me,
To be two happy lazzaroni,
On sunshine fed and macaroni,
Far off by some Sicilian sea.

From dawn to eve in the happy land,
No duty on us but to lie
Straw-batted on the shining sand,
With bronzing chest and arm and hand,
Beneath the blue Italian sky.

There, with the mountains idly glassing
Their purple splendors in the sea—
To watch the white-winged vessels passing
(Fortunes for busy fools amassing);
This were a heaven to you and me!

Our moonbeams coloring cloudy brown,
Two young girls, coloring with a blush,
The blue wave with a silver crown,
The mountain shadows drooping down,
And all the air a perfect hush.

Thus should we lie in the happy land,
Nor fame, nor power, nor fortune miss;
Straw-batted on the shining sand,
With bronzing chest, and arm, and hand—
Two loafers couched in perfect bliss!

HOUSE AND HOME.

Susan Sunshine's Weekly Budget of Household Hints.

HOW TO MAKE HOME ATTRACTIVE.

Influence of Youthful Pleasures Upon After Life—Various Games for Winter Evenings.

Whether home is really home or is simply a stopping place, depends wholly upon the life that centers there. Home, in its largest and truest sense, implies a great deal. It means rest, content, affection, tenderness, purity and progression. It is the best that is left us of Eden.

But I have seen homes where the parents were good and conscientious, having the best welfare of their children at heart, who yet really made no home for their children, simply because they had forgotten what belonged to childhood. They were parents whom it seemed to me must have always been men and women, like Adam and Eve always full grown, with never a memory of childish wants and needs. I remember a household amid the hills of New England, where the fine old house under the shadow of the elms hardly ever echoed to the music of childish laughter, although it had its share of children, and where the little boys and girls were never allowed to romp together, much less pass an evening in merry games. The Assembly's catechism was the book for Sunday, and Blue Beard and Mother Goose, and Cinderella all were ignored on week days; fairy-land was a realm into which the children might not enter, and even merry old Santa Claus was kept at bay as a popish invention which they might not harbor. Nature set the example of gladness for them. The birds sang and twittered merrily in the branches, the squirrels skipped and danced among the tree-tops, and the frogs held a carnival of gladness every summer night within hearing, and the merry brook never ceased its singing, but for those children there was nothing but firmness, no careless sports, but a constant life of repression.

Well, those children grew up, and a whole community of such people as they were would never do the world any good because their characters, their whole being was stunted and one-sided. They never had known what childhood was, and they had no sympathy with it.

Children must have amusements. There is a world of wise philosophy in the old adage, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." Amusements are a legitimate need of childhood, and its love for innocent sport and for pleasant pastimes should neither be repressed or ignored. Make your children happy in their home, in their games, in harmless pleasures, as well as in the fulfillment of simple duties, and you lay broad and deep the foundations for the life outside of home. A happy childhood is a fountain from which to draw in after years—a green spot to which we may turn if life grows lonely in later years.

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An excellent game, and one that will stimulate the children to study, is called "Century Count." It is played by having one of the party leave the room, when a century is assigned to him, such as sixth, eighth or nineteenth. On his return he is charged with all the crimes and abuses of his century, which he must explain, excuse or acknowledge according to his wit; the excellencies of the century are also introduced into the list of which characters, all of which he must politely accept, trying at the same time to discover what century he represents. When he succeeds he selects the person whose last speech gave him the clue, and he is the next to undergo the other) century begs leave to retire, introducing Mr. —— to the court," and the new victim leaves the room while another century is selected. When he returns some one says, for example, "Mr. —— has the management of some of the best men that ever lived!"—(*William, the Silent*). And another adds, "Well, if he did, he produced one of the greatest poets"—(*Shakespeare*). "Yes, says another, "and tried to introduce tea into Holland"—(*Boston Tea Party*). "But, exclaims another, "that was nothing to compare with the fearful massacre he caused,"—(*St. Bartholomew*). "He was a good hand at sinking ships, too." "Yes," chimes in another, "and it made the most gentlemanly officers unusable ever after to pay."—(*Admiral Drake*). "Oh, yes, and laid the foundation for roast goose on Michaelmas-day." This gives a gleam of light to Mr. Century if he is "up" in his history, and he exclaims:

"Oh, yes! I am the man who put goose, sinking ships and Michaelmas. That means the Spanish Armada and Queen Elizabeth, thus making me represent the sixteenth century. Now I will give place to you."

And so the game goes on. It is instructive and may be made full of interest and fun as well. I have seen players so delighted with it that it has employed almost a whole evening.

There is another game which affords splendid fun," which is called "Justice is blind." Blindfold each player who must take a seat in the middle of the room, when the leader takes up to her each one of the company. Justice must then pass an opinion upon each, and the leader is to decide whether the opinion is sufficiently correct for Justice to transfer the bandage to the person described. Amusing mistakes are often made on account of their being so wholly at variance with the character of the person described.

The "Russian Game of Gossip" will afford much merriment, and is played in this way: One of the company composes and writes out a short and striking narrative of about a dozen lines or so. This he reads carefully

OUR ORANGES IN OHIO.

Practical Hints as to Wrapping, Boxing and Shipping.

LETTER FROM A CLEVELAND FRUIT FIRM

Which Has Handled Twenty-nine Cars of Our Golden Fruit—Encouraging Facts for Our Growers.

CLEVELAND, O., S—pt. 24, 1885.

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: In the Riverside Valley Echo of September 10th, under the head of "Florida Items," we notice a short article clipped from the Ocalla Banner; stating in substance that the orange growers of that State had learned by experience during the past season that oranges wrapped in straw paper would bear shipment better than if wrapped in tissue manilla, as the latter had a tendency to stick to the skin in case the fruit became damp, etc., etc. The original article recommending this plan to the fruit growers of Florida was written by Judge Ryerson, a staff writer on the Florida Dispatch, the fruit growers' journal of that State. This advice from the Judge no doubt was well intended, but as we are large receivers of and operators in Florida, California and other fruits, and knowing so well the requirements of the trade throughout the whole North, we could not, in justice to our many shippers, both in Florida and in California, let so misleading an article go unanswered, and replied through the Dispatch, taking issue with the Judge, and recommended to the growers and shippers in the strongest possible terms the great importance of using nothing but tissue manilla for wrapping, and exercising the utmost care, precision and neatness in sizing, packing and boxing, and that we would stake our reputation as fruit men that fruit put up after our plan would sell at from one dollar more per box in any large market in the North, than equally as good fruit wrapped in straw paper; and we are more decidedly of that opinion now, if possible, than before. Our twenty years experience in handling fruits teaches us that human nature is the same the world over, and that neatness and attractiveness of appearance are always appreciated, and there is much to do in making a package, and ready sale for all the fruits known to commerce.

We would not have noticed this item at all except for the fact that during last season we handled in a very large way your orange, lemon, apricot, peach, plum, pear, cherry, grape and other fruit crops, and do not want your growers and shippers to fall into this fatal mistake, which would cost them so dearly.

We at this end of the line are in a position to see and to know what is essential to make your shipments here a grand success. Ship nothing but the best quality of everything, using always the utmost care and taste in wrapping, packing and boxing, so that it will be the most presentable on its arrival; and above all things, see to it that the fruit has plenty of air and the cars well ventilated while in transit, as from this one thing alone California shippers of oranges and other fruits have lost thousands of dollars during the past shipping season. We noticed that with the opening of the cars and fans in the center of the cars arriving here was more or less heated, musty and decayed, and in handling the boxes a dry, puffy mould would issue from them, while the fruit away from the middle and center of the car, and near the two ends, where ventilation was more perfect, was uniformly sound and in good order. We also observed that fruit wrapped in coarse paper kept less perfectly than that wrapped with the light tissue. All of this would indicate that more ventilation was needed, and how to get it will be for your shippers to determine.

There is also something in the kind or condition of fruit at time of shipment for our shippers to investigate and consider, as we have had the experience of two cars of apparently good fruit shipped from your State at the same time, one arriving at the same time, with one car in good fair condition, while the other was a total wreck, and utterly worthless.

Last season was virtually the first introduction, shipment, in a large way, of your orange and other fruit crops into Ohio, and, like every other new thing, we had to fight hard to make our trade believe that your oranges, especially, were not of that sour, immature, unripe quality, a sample of which we had upon our market the year before. But by persistent, patient, unremitting efforts, we finally got your oranges introduced to our trade, and from that time forward the demand steadily and constantly grew, until, at the close of the season, we found we had handled twenty-nine cars of your golden fruit.

Your growers and shippers, as well as ourselves, last season met with unexpected obstacles, which this coming season will not be encountered. One great point at least for your people has been gained, and that is that your fruits have been introduced to this large trade and a demand created for them in the future that will open up a field and a market for all your fruits that will be astonishing in its magnitude.

Your orange crop drops into our market nicely after the Florida shipping season is over, so there is no competition or conflict of interests between Florida and California.

We can already see the handwriting on the wall as to America's affording a market as heretofore for foreign fruits. The end is nearly here, and from now forward we shall not be dependent upon foreign countries for our fruit supplies, but shall longingly look to our widely separated sister States, Florida and California, and know we shall not look in vain. We are very truly yours,

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Fruit commission merchants, Cleveland, O.

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Running sixteen hours a day to accommodate the great rush and increasing business at No. 9 Aliso street.

Wall Paper Decorating.

J. Harry Conlan, No. 13 Spring street.

A Campaign Secret Given Away.

In the campaign of 1884, the two candidates for Governor in a "pivotal" Western State arranged for a series of joint discussions. Both men were popular, both of fine appearance and were so well matched in mental force and as orators that the contest between them promised to be a magnificent one. For several weeks the scales balanced even ly.

But one day the brilliant Republican candidate came up ailing. He seemed overcome and spoke laboredly. The next day he was even less effective. Later he was compelled to ask his opponent for a postponement of certain appointments, which was granted. Before the campaign ended he had abandoned the field altogether.

Meantime the Democratic candidate continued his canvass, seeming to grow a ronger, cheerier and more effective with each succeeding week. He was elected. One evening in December, while entertaining several gentlemen, he said:

"I will tell you a campaign secret—which gave me the election. With the opening of my campaign, I began caring for my liver. I knew that a disordered or torpid liver meant dullness and possible sickness. I took something every day. When my opponent began failing I knew his trouble to be his liver and felt like prescribing for him, but feared if I did so he might beat me! I grew stronger as the campaign progressed, often making two speeches a day. Even my voice, to my surprise, did not fail me once. All because Warner's Safe Cure kept me in A 1 trim." Ex-Governor Jacob, of Kentucky, also made a campaign tour under precisely similar circumstances, and says he kept up under the exhausting strain by use of the same means.—[Rochester Union.

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Judge Chesney.*

SATURDAY, Oct. 3.

Surbeck vs. Dodge: Motion to strike out cost bill granted. Leave to file affidavit to amend minutes denied.

People vs. Jesus Figueroa: Bail reduced to $1500.

People vs. Ah Tip: Defendant ordered to plead October 6th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. Ah Gow: Arraignment continued to October 5th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. Ah Jim: Ordered to plead October 6th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. Blanche Muller and Honore Guillaume: Ordered to plead October 5th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. A. Gentry, McLand, H. H. Howard and A. Chavez: Continued to October 5th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. Ah Nair: Ordered to plead October 5th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. H. Luquin: Same disposition.

People vs. Sotello: Defendant pleads guilty: Ordered to appear for sentence October 5th, at 10 a. m.

People vs. J. O'Connor: Defendant pleads not guilty.

Bench warrants were ordered to issue for George W. Ford, Josiah Ross, Belle Branigan, Antonio Costa and Joe Morin.

People vs. D. M. Wood: Monday, October 5, at 10 a. m., set for defendant's bail.

People vs. Francisco Valenzuela: Defendant pleads not guilty.

People vs. Jesus Romero: Defendant's motion to dismiss denied; defendant pleads not guilty.

Blostt, Daly & Sullivan vs. Pitcher & Gray: Cause argued and submitted.

Chamberlain vs. Francis: Cause dismissed.

Nellie Tipton was granted permission to become a sole trader.

At 11 a. m. the Grand Jury came into court and presented two bills which were filed; also a report which was read by the foreman.

SET FOR MONDAY.

People vs. Blanche Muller, Honore Guillaume, Juan Lopez, J. S. Nair, H. Luquin, D. M. Wood; to plead.

People vs. Ah Gow, A. Gentry, McLand, H. H. Howard, A. Chavez: Arraignments.

People vs. Sotello: For sentence.

Estates of J. M. Donaldson, D. Boutwell, B. E. Ross, J. T. Martin, John Wallace, Ah Gow, Chas. Chamberlain minors, J. E. Jackson, A. Briswalter.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Judge Brunson.*

Dunton vs. Thomas: Findings signed and filed.

Jilson vs. Montaño: Attorneys' fees fixed at $50 in four cases.

Schroder vs. Blanchard: Judgment signed and filed.

Downey vs. Los Angeles City: Testimony closed.

William C. Foy, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship.

Mulock vs. Cooper: Judgment signed and filed.

Maria Vs. Azusa Water Development Company: Judgment signed and filed.

In the matter of the sanity of Ah Jim: After hearing testimony, said Ah Jim ordered discharged.

In re John Weiss, on habeas corpus: Petitioner ordered to be discharged.

SET FOR MONDAY.

Scammon vs. Denio: Argument.

Higgins et al. vs. Schenk et al.: Hearing.

CITY JUSTICE'S COURT—*Justice Austin.*

People vs. B. N. Luzzallo: Battery. Case dismissed and defendant discharged.

People vs. Carrie Sherrett: Battery. Continued to October 10, at 10 a. m.

People vs. Patrick Quinn: Disturbing the peace. Defendant fined $3. Paid.

People vs. John Pierovich: Disturbing the peace. Case dismissed and defendant discharged.

TOWNSHIP COURT—*Justice Rooney.*

People vs. Benito Castillo: Burglary. Continued to October 7, at 10 a. m.

Away ahead of all competition, as far as the zenith is above the nadir, is the Great American Dye House of HORATIO MARTEEN, No. 9 Aliso street.

Skillful, reliable and thoroughly scientific dyers at the Great American Dye House, No. 9 Aliso street.

Dr. Net Cnaw during my absence will take my office and practice, and I commend him to my patrons. I will resume my practice on my return in September. DR. WONG, 26 Upper Main street.

The W. C. T. U. meets every Thursday, at 2½ p. m., at Presbyterian church, corner Second and Fort streets.

The Flower Festival Society's Entertainment,

Nadeau Block, Spring street entrance. All women needing employment and persons wishing to employ women are invited to leave their names at this office. Also those who wish to rent rooms and those having rooms for rent are requested to call. Telephone No. 176. Mrs. M. B. Horton, Manager.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Government bonds quiet and steady.

Stocks were somewhat irregular and feverish in the morning, followed by very decided strength that continued throughout the day, the close being at very nearly the highest figures reached for the active list from 1 to over 2 per cent. higher than last evening

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

	SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3.	
Best and Belcher	60	Ophir..... 80
Bullion.....	1 20	Peer..... 75
Crocker.....	85	Peerless..... 1 70
Justice and Eureka	1 90	Savage..... 1 50
Hale and N.....	4 45	Sierra Nevada.. 70
Kentucky.....	35	Union Con..... 55
Navajo.....	85	Yellow Jacket.... 1 80

Domestic Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3.—Wheat: Shipping is active; better class export grades, $1 47½. 3500 tons reported sold to-day at that rate. Barley: market feverish, no spot trading of ordinary character. $1 42½@1 45 asked for poblshed lots of feed; brewing, good quality, is quoted at $1 50.

English Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 3.—Wheat firm; new No. 2 winter, 7s 2d; do spring, 7s 1d. Corn, quiet, steady, 4s 7d; October, firm, 4s 6d; November and December, firm, 4s 5½d

Los Angeles Produce Market.

Reported by The Times.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

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FOR SALE—Small house, lot and furniture; great bargain. 30 Virginia st. oct 1t

FOR SALE—One of the most desirable building sites in the city of Los Angeles, at half price. Eleven acres of land, five-room house, barn of wat r, out-buildings, etc.; four minutes' walk from cars. Apply at Room 31, Nadeau block. Must be sold at once. oct 2t

FOR SALE—Very low; one or two acres, with good house, two-story barn, large barnyard and chicken corral; as fine a well, windmill and tank as can be found anywhere, and everything in good order; on Washington street, just outside city limits. Stages pass the house four times daily. Will sell low, as I want cash for business. Apply to OWNER, at 50 Temple street, nearly opposite Times office. Oct1 1f

FOR SALE—Very choice half acre lots for sale in the Yale-Harvard tract, situated on Diamond and Alvarado sts., within short distance of terminus of cable road; these lots command fine views, lie high, and enjoy the advantage of the ocean breeze. Price from $300 upwards; terms one-third cash. Apply BARRETT & FRANCIS, Nadeau Block, 2 S. Spring st. sept6 1f

FOR SALE—Five acres of land near the University, West Los Angeles, covered with choice fruit trees nine years old, all in full bearing; new house of 8 rooms and bath, a most delightful suburban residence; owner going abroad; will sell cheap, price $4,000, terms easy. Address P. O. box 1370, city sep29 1f

FOR SALE—An elegantly improved and finely located house and lot and furniture, also horse and buggy, cheap; also two vacant lots easy down, no charge for "climate;" location, East Los Angeles. Address P. O. box 507. sep26d

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Two houses on Pearl st., near Normal school; 11 rooms each. Apply to DR. ZAHN. sept24 1f

FOR SALE—$850 will buy a nice finished cottage, within half a block of Downey ave., good well water and stable. Apply to BOW-ERS STORE, cor. Downey ave. and Hayes st., E. Los Angeles. sept23 1m

FOR SALE — Or Exchange—A valuable property for sale or exchange for property on the limits of the city. This property is situated on Sainsevain and Dicommun sts., being 66 feet front on each street by 165 feet deep. On Dicommun street there are two cottages and on Sainsevain street there is one, the whole comprising three houses on the property fronting the two above streets. Any person wanting anything of that kind will please call at 23 Aliso st. or 62 Sainsevain st. sept9 1m

FOR SALE—Or Rent—6000 acres of good Tennessee land; for sale or rent in small tracts. Apply to BROWN & ADAMS, 198, S. Spring st. sept1f

FOR SALE—$4,000; in a lovely location, near the sea, hotel furniture and good will; all in good order. For full particulars inquire at No. 84 Nadeau block, or address Box 992. aug4 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, some choice acre property that will divide into lots and sell for double the money asked. Must be sold at once. McKOON, PENNY & BRODRECK, 19 S. Spring st. aug5 1f

FOR SALE—Or exchange, from 3 to 7½ acres moist land, 14 miles west of University; variety of fruit in bearing; gum grove; fine well of water; good barn; boxhouse, etc. WALKER, House Mover, 120 San Pedro st. aug22 tf

FOR SALE—A great bargain; 1 lot and houses, 879 First st., $900; 1 lot and 2 houses, 142 and 144 Banning st., $1600. Apply to V. DASSONVILLE, 16 N. Main st. aug 2m

FOR SALE—$2200 new cottage of five rooms, lot 64x165, one block from electric light and horse cars. Apply on the premises, north side of Jefferson st., between Hellman and Daly sts., East Los Angeles. aug7 tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Fine Perry cart, with top; can be seen at co.ral, east side Fort st., bet. Fourth and Fifth. oct 1t

FOR SALE—A nice phaeton buggy, nearly new at No. 211 S. Olive st. oct 1t

FOR SALE—Furniture of a five-room house and house to let. Inquire southeast cor. Spring and First sts. oct2 3t

FOR SALE—October Magazines at OLMSTED & WALES'S, 19 W. First st. junel

FOR SALE—Good second-hand platform spring cart, and fine spanking cart, speed but little, very cheap for cash. Call at old Episcopal church building, Temple street, nearly opposite Times-Mirror office. Oct1 1f

FOR SALE—Steinway square piano, at a bargain. Inquire at once at 28 W. Fourth street, cor. Spring. Oct1 4t

FOR SALE—Or Rent—The Central House, Santa Monica. Apply to JOHN DONALD, Santa Monica. sept26 1m

FOR SALE—Water motor, four-horse power; it is in per ect order and will be sold cheap. M. S. BAKER & CO. sep26 tf

FOR SALE—A lot of old newspapers, suitable for wrapping, for sale cheap. Apply TIMES counting room. fly24tf

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a gentle driving mare; will work single or double. Inquire of GEO. A. TOWNSEND, at the Grange store. oct 2t

THE DENVER STABLE, 129 N. Spring st., is discontinued as a boarding stable. The livery horses and conveyances are all for sale, but until sold will be let on very reasonable terms. P. FITZWILLIAM, Proprietor. oct 2t

FOR SALE—Three cows, one fresh, two will be in a few days. Second horse and buggy or Figueroa st., on washing on. oct2t

FOR SALE—Seven-year-old horse; good roadster; light side-bar buggy, cheap. VAUGHAN, 109 Fourth st. se30tf

FOR SALE—A first-class saddle pony. Apply to D. MUNRO, No. 9 S. Spring st. se26tf

FOR SALE—One of the finest young horses in the county, 5 years old, 16 hands high, beautiful dark bay, excellent disposition and of well-bred trotting stock and fast; also buggy and harness of California make. Will be sold at a sacrifice on account of departure of owner. Address R., Times office. se20tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

FOR SALE—The best blacksmith stand in the country. Inquire of WM. R. HUFF & CO., No. 109 N. Spring st. oct 1w

FOR SALE—One-half or whole of a good paying business; coal and wood yard; reasons for selling, going East. Call at Times office. oct3 1w

FOR SALE—An old and well established business in the country. For particulars address PETER ALLEN, San Gabriel. se30 1m

FOR SALE—Good dairy, at a bargain, and for the best of reasons. F. H. BARCLAY, 9 S. Spring st. se19 tf

FOR SALE—One of the best equipped bakeries in the city, having a fine trade; fullest investigation invited. Address P. O. box 597. se26 tf

FOR SALE—For $200, a good paying business; good location; rent only $20 per month. Inquire at No. 40 S. Spring st. se26 1w

FOR SALE—A business in the country paying $200 per month; price $2100. Apply to HOMES & WILLIAMS, No. 12 W. First st. se1 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

PURE MILK, in quantities to suit, at 30 Water st., East Los Angeles. se30 1w

KINDERGARTEN and Private School, 20 S. Daly st., East Los Angeles. se27 1w

TO LET—ROOMS.

400 S. FORT ST.—Unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. se10 tf

18 W. FIGO ST—Furnished rooms; adults only. oct 2t

TO LET—Pleasant, sunny corner rooms, with privileges of light housekeeping. 100 Fort st. Sept9 tf

120 W. FIFTH STREET—Three rooms for housekeeping, furnished; one Steinway piano. Oct1 1f

PARK MANSION, newly furnished rooms, single or en suite; pleasant location; first-class; prices moderate. 221 New High. se30 6m

321 N. MAIN ST.—Pacific House, opposite Pico House, newly furnished airy rooms, single or en suite, at the most reasonable rates; special terms offered to permanent boarders. se27 1f

339 HILL ST.—Rooms and board; half a block from Sixth st. cars. Mrs. W. A. WANT-ON. sept23 1w

111 S. HILL ST.—Sunny furnished front rooms; gentlemen only. se17t

101 HILL ST.—Private boarding and newly furnished rooms. Southeast cor. Second st. First-class; lay board $; per week. se6 1m

400 TEMPLE ST.—Furnished rooms. se9 1m

603 S. CHARITY ST.—Furnished rooms and board for gentlemen or ladies; no children. se6 1m

501 S. SPRING—Furnished rooms in brick block cor. Sixth and Spring, from $4 to $8 per month. se5 1m

31 N. MAIN ST.—Under new management. First class board and rooms and table board. se2 1f

350 S. FORT ST.—Pleasant furnished rooms. aug8 1f

TO LET—HOUSES.

TO LET—A small, well-furnished house near the heart of the city; well located. JACKSON, PENNEY & BRODTBECK, 19 N. Spring st.

TO LET—Houses to rent by PIERCE BROS. Garages, stalls or double, to let by the day, week or month, by PIERCE BROS., East Los Angeles. oct 1f

TO LET—A house of six rooms, with closets and bath; 32 Carr st. Apply 2 First st. oct 2t

TO LET—N. E. cor. Fort and Ninth, furnished cottage of five rooms; bath; pantry. Oct1 1w

TO LET—Or For Sale—Six-room cottage at Santa Monica; furnished complete. LEWIS & PINKHAM, P. O. building, Los Angeles. se9 1f

TO LET—Five-room cottage, pantry, closets, lawn, flowers, arbor, drive and new barn; pleasant, healthy location; terms reasonable, inquire 633 Pearl st., bet. Seventh and Eighth sts. se20 1m

TO LET—Cottage at end of cable road; cheap. Inquire of W. W. TAYLOR, 82 Temple block. se17 tf

TO LET—House of six rooms, bath, pantry and closets; cor. Main and East Pico sts. Inquire of J. C. OLMSTED, 19 W. First st. se17 1f

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS.

TO LET—Part of store in good location for dressmaker. 176 Main st. oct 3t

TO LET—A blacksmith shop, 80 Downey ave., East Los Angeles. oct1 1w

TO LET—Corral 30 stalls; cheap. Terre Haute House, 127 First st. oct1 1m

TO LET—302 Spring st., large store and dwelling room; $30 per month. Apply at drug store next door. oct 2t

TO LET—A thousand acre farm of rich bottom and table land; can all be irrigated; good fences, artesian wells, house, etc. This property, which is four miles south of Downey and five southeast of Compton, will be leased for a term of years. Apply to George F. Bixby, 353 Pearl st. se20 1w

TO LET—Steam power and building; cheap. Apply to SOMES & WILLIAMS, No. 12 W. First st. se17 1m

ROOMS AND BOARD

TO LET—Some nicely furnished rooms, with or without board, in new house cor. First and Hill sts.; two blocks from Postoffice; rooms light and sunny. Apply at 233 First st. se11 1f

KIMBALL MANSION opens for the season Sept. 7; elegant rooms, single or en suite; table supplied with the best the market affords. se6 1m

BOARD—Home Dining Parlors, at 43 Temple st.; board by the week or month at reasonable prices. No Chinese cooking. se1f

THE MAKARA HOUSE, 231 MAIN ST., near Third; pleasant sunny rooms; good table; prices reasonable; everything first-class. my6 6me

123 COURTHOUSE ST.—Pleasant furnished rooms with home board, on the hill; Beaudry water. Mrs. VAN TREES. se26 1m

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—Two first-class incubators for horse or cow. Apply at Room 31, Nadeau block. oct 2t

FOR EXCHANGE—Fine property near Los Angeles for property in Kansas. WOODARD & COOK, 12 Court st. se18tf

FOR EXCHANGE—A home of 21 acres on Vermont ave., 25 miles from San Bernardino, and in sight of the sea; value $2 50, for home in or near Los Angeles. Address J. B., care A. D. Barnard, Ventura county, Cal. se1 1m

WANTED—To exchange a pair of the finest driving horses in the city, well-matched and speedy, for improved or unimproved lots, location and price. Address B. H., Times office. au13 tf

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY WANTED—$2000 or $6000 wanted for two years on the best county security, worth $25,000. Apply to LAMB & GRIFFIN, 19 W. First st. oct4f

TO LOAN—$300, $800, $700, $1000. J. S. HALTHAM, 62 Temple block. oct 4t

MONEY TO LOAN for short terms of one to six months, as may suit, in sums of $100 to $600, on unquestionable security. Apply at Room 10, 221 North Main st. se27tf

$20,000 TO LOAN—In one sum; also smaller amounts as desired. RENT & ROWAN. se30

MONEY TO LOAN—On first-class real estate security. McKOON, PENNEY & BRODTBECK, No. 19 N. Spring st., opposite postoffice. au28 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage in sums of $1000 and upwards. C. W. MORTIMER, attorney at law, 74 Temple block. july1 tf

MONEY TO LOAN—On first-class security in improved or country property, by F. C. EDDY & CO., No. 10 Court st., opposite Court-house. my26 tf

Special Notices.

☞ British Benevolent Society.—General meeting MONDAY, October 5, in society's rooms, at 8 p. m. Important business. W. R. BLACKMAN, Secretary pro tem. oct 1t

☞ Dividend Notice.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the LOS ANGELES ELECTRIC COMPANY, held October 2d, 1885, a dividend (No. 3) of six (6) dollars per share was declared, payable at the office of the company, on Tuesday, October 20, 1885. Transfer books will close on Friday, October 16, 1885, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. Office Room No. 6, Schumacher block, opposite Postoffice, Los Angeles, Cal. CHAS. H. HOWLAND, Secretary. oct 1d

☞ Stockholders' Meeting.—The Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Electric Light Company for the election of five directors for the ensuing year, and any other business which may be presented, will be held at the office of the company, at Room No. 6, Schumacher block, Los Angeles, Cal., on TUESDAY, Oct. 20, 1885. CHAS. H. HOWLAND, Secretary. se26d

☞ Mrs. Senard's Select School, Fits for college and business. Special attention given to primary department. No. 149 South Hill street, between Second and Third sts. se29

☞ Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Times-Mirror Company will be held at the office of said company, on TUESDAY, the 6th day of October, 1885, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing five directors to serve for one year, and to transact such other business as may be necessary. Los Angeles, Sept. 26, 1885. H. H. BOYCE, Secretary. se27td

☞ Notice.—A good, motherly lady wishes the care of little children; home under her mother's eye over twelve years will be taken. The best of care and attention given and satisfaction assured. Apply at No. 517 Olive st., between Sixth and Seventh. Terms moderate. se5 1m

☞ Notice.—The Los Angeles City Water Company will strictly enforce the following rule: The hours for sprinkling are between 4 and 6 o'clock a. m. and 4 and 8 o'clock p. m. For a violation of the above regulation the water will be shut off and a fine of two dollars will be charged before water will be turned on again. my7tf

ADAMS BROS., DENTISTS.

82 SOUTH SPRING STREET

Between First and Second.

GUARANTEE TO DO FIRST-CLASS WORK, and use the best material known to the dental profession, at the following prices:

FILLINGS.

Gold	$2 00
Silver, amalgam and platina	1 00
Best cement, for front teeth	1 00
Teeth cleaning	1 00

Absolutely Painless Extraction of Teeth.

By vitalized air	$1 00
By nitrous oxide	1 00
By laughing-gas	1 00

Teeth extracted without pain. 50

Under one administration of either of the gases from one to twenty teeth can be extracted without causing the patient the least particle of pain. There are no bad after-effects from the gas.

BEST SETS OF TEETH

On Rubber or Celluloid.....$6 00

We guarantee to give a perfect fit, and to use the same material in these plates that other dentists charge from $10 to $20 for. These teeth will last a life-time.

Teeth taken out and new ones put in the same day.

Adams Bros., Drs. D. S., 82 Dental Rooms at Rear of Stairway, 28 South Spring street. Office open Sundays from 10 a. m. to 12 m. july31 tf

Weather Report.

Local Bulletin.—At 4 a. m. yesterday the thermometer registered 61, at noon 96, and at 7 p. m. 84. Barometer for corresponding periods, 29.87, 29.87, 29.81. Maximum temperature, 102.3; minimum, 58.3. Weather at 8 p. m., clear.

Signal Service Indications.—[By telegraph from San Francisco at 8 last night.] Indications for the succeeding thirty-two hours: North Pacific Coast, fair weather, followed by increasing cloudiness and rain, variable winds, shifting to southerly. Middle Pacific Coast, generally fair weather, light variable winds. South Pacific Coast, fair weather, light variable winds, shifting to westerly.

THE CITY.

Dots.

Money to loan, F. H. Barclay.

Garrett & Neitzke, undertakers and embalmers, 234 N. Main street. Telephone 75.

The great bankrupt purchase of boots and shoes made by Lewis Bros. will ever be remembered by the masses.

Jellies and jams reduced in price at Ewing's grocery house.

Dr. Williams (next Diamond House), 275 North Main street.

The friends of the family will be pained to learn of the death of little Pauline Halstead. Her mother, Mrs. W. G. Halstead, had just gone to San Francisco on a visit. Pauline was taken with diphtheria and died in a few days.

The entire end of our store is jammed with misses' and children's shoes. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Prices on all kinds of jewelry have touched bottom at Bartlett's, Nadeau block.

Ask your grocer for Hanly's New Era coffee.

Dr. Todd, dentist, Nadeau block.

Snowflake flour stands without a rival. A single trial will convince you of the fact. Sold only by Ewing's grocery house.

Piles and piles of ladies' American kid button boots at next-to-nothing prices. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

The Haselton pianos are the finest made. Call and see them at the "Musical College Block," 364 South Spring street. Cash or installments.

Gardner's, 230 N. Main street.

The people are beginning to find out that McDonell, the druggist, sells cheaper than any other in the city.

You only have to guess the nearest to the number of seeds to carry off that elegant gold watch and chain at Barlett's.

Thousands of pairs of ladies' French kid button boots at one-fifth their actual value. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Feed your pets with McAllister's mocking bird food. For sale at Ewing's grocery house.

McDonell's elegant soda fountain is running night and day, producing that popular drink—ice-cold cream soda.

Particular attention is called to that valuable property, No. 1225 Hill street, that is to be sold on October 20th by John C. Bell, the auctioneer, to the highest bidder, at 11 o'clock in the morning; to be sold without reserve. Terms very liberal.

To-morrow commences the second week of the greatest of sales. Lewis Bros. bankrupt purchase of boots and shoes.

See special notice of the British Benevolent Society.

The latest—the pumpkin racket at Bartlett's, Nadeau block.

Will D. Gould, Esq., has received notice of allowance of over twenty years' back pension for Edwin Howe of Pomona. Mr. Howe lost his health in the late civil war.

Magnolia hams and bacon, the best in the land, at Ewing's grocery house.

The friends and patrons of Miss Lamb are cordially invited to attend her fall opening of fine millinery and art needle work, beginning Wednesday, October 7. Decorative Art Rooms, 34 S. Spring street.

You never have and never will receive such bargains in boots and shoes as we are now pouring out of our house. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Pierce Bros. announce this morning special bargains in East Los Angeles property. Our beautiful suburb across the river is growing rapidly, and there are splendid chances for investment there at present.

Bartlett is some on pumpkins.

In another column appears the announcement of C. L. Fisher & Co., boot and shoe dealers. They have a fine stock of the latest styles. Each purchaser gets a chance in a $275 organ, bought at Day's music store. The prize will be awarded Christmas Eve.

The city is literally excited, and well it may be, as we are slaughtering shoes at one-fifth their actual value. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Mellin's infant's food in both sizes at Ewing's grocery house.

The firm of Dennis & Cook has been dissolved. The business will be continued by L. W. Dennis.

The best shine in the city at 233 North Main street reduced to 5 cents a shine from the old price of 10 cents. First class shine and brush.

The greatest sacrifice and slaughter of boots and shoes ever known. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Procure a pumpkin like the one at Bartlett's, cut it open, count the seeds, then guess at the number and carry off free a gold watch and chain, worth $100.

Arrangements have been made by the Southern California Immigration Association to send several thousand copies of the next number of the Rural California East. This will be an excellent advertising medium for business men who desire to reach new-comers.

Money to loan, Wilcox & Robbins.

Our house is literally jammed from pit to dome with boots and shoes, which are being slaughtered, as the crowd which has been with us for the past week speaks for itself. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Peter Bossart, sometimes known as Bozard, is requested to communicate with this office. Bossart is about 55 years old, has dark sandy hair and is a carpenter by trade.

You have from now to the 1st of November to guess the number of seeds in the pumpkin at Bartlett's, and if you are the closest guesser, you carry off a gold watch and chain, worth $100.

Boots and shoes actually thrown away. Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase.

Crosse & Blackwell's jams, just received at Ewing's grocery house.

A large line of brushes and brooms of all kinds, table and pocket cutlery, curry-combs, baskets, etc., at Polhaus & Vollmer's, No. 10 West First street.

The sales of tickets for Janauschek were unusually large yesterday.

The greatest excitement ever known to the trade—Lewis Bros.' bankrupt purchase of boots and shoes.

Pasadena people and others interested are hereby notified that if they wish to aid in fixing that abominable Pasadena avenue in the Arroyo Seco, subscription papers can be found in the hands of A. W. Potts, George Rice and C. White, No. 5 Nadeau block. Give promptly and give liberally if you wish to get clear of the eyesore and ride in comfort to the city.

New Undertaking Firm.

Messrs. Garratt & Neitzke have purchased the undertaking parlors lately owned by Albert Brown, and assumed charge on the first of the month. Mr. Garratt comes here from Wilmington, where he has been engaged in business for many years. Mr. Neitzke is an old resident of Los Angeles, having been long in the undertaking business. They have the finest undertaking parlors in Southern California, and propose to make a number of improvements.—[Adv.

THE GRAND JURY.

A Partial Report Submitted to Judge Cheney Yesterday.

HINTS OF NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS.

The County Hospital, County Jail, the Coroner, Justices, Constables, Auditor, Chinatown, Etc., Touched Up.

To the Hon. Wm. A. Cheney, Judge of Department No. 1, of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, State of California:—SIR: The Grand Jury convened by Your Honor on the 14th day of September, 1885, beg leave respectfully to submit to your honorable court the following partial reports of their transactions to date:

We have found eight true indictments and two informations, seven of which were handed to Your Honor; and we have ignored three cases where the evidence was not sufficient to convict.

THE COUNTY HOSPITAL.

We have visited the various county buildings, and find the County Hospital kept in good condition, with ninety-two patients. The expense of the hospital has greatly increased, and we find that no record book is kept separate of said expenses. We recommend hereafter that a record of expenses be kept, and that the poor farm be worked so as to assist in paying a portion of the expenses in conducting the same. The bills also for tobacco and liquor are excessive, and not proper charges for a hospital.

THE COUNTY JAIL.

We find the county jail is in as good a condition as it is possible for its age; the sewerage is very imperfect, and the jail is crowded with sixty-two prisoners. We hope, for the sake of humanity, the Board of Supervisors will soon build a modern jail, where each prisoner will be confined by himself. The Grand Jury believe that jails are built for the repression of crime, and the great evil of our present jail is the indiscriminate intercourse. We believe the prisoners should be worked, as their health would be greatly improved.

THE COUNTY CORONER.

We have examined the Coroner's books, and find them kept in good shape. The cash received and also the personal property are not properly accounted for. The Coroner should not have a deputy, the being a judicial officer.

SHOULD SETTLE ACCORDING TO LAW.

Your Grand Jury deprecate the loose custom heretofore in vogue among certain county officials, notably the County Recorder, of failure to make regular monthly settlements on the first Monday of each and every month as required by law, and would recommend that the Supervisors hereafter require a rigid enforcement of the law, and notify the County Auditor to require a settlement of fees received during the preceding month from every official before issuing warrants for their respective salaries, and also a more secure preservation of the public books and records is demanded, as the stub warrant books of 1883 and 1884 from the County Auditor's office cannot now be found.

THE JUSTICES' COURTS.

We have examined the dockets of all of the township justices of the county, and find a great many irregularities (except in those townships where little or no criminal business is transacted.) We herewith submit abstracts of their records for the District Attorney to collect from the several justices moneys due the county after the correction of overcharges and double charges.

THE CONSTABLES.

The District Attorney should also inform the various Justices that in the future they must indorse Constable's bills only when they know them to be correct, or else indorse them on duplicates as filed in their offices, so that the Honorable Board of Supervisors may investigate the bills and see that they are not excessive. The Grand Jury believe that a single fee of one-fourth of $560 for one month for criminal business only, are excessive. Criminal cases when compromised, the fees belong to the county.

JUSTICES' COURT DOCKET.

We find the docket of the City Court, and the acting township justice and of ex-Justice Morgan incomplete, and demand that they be required to keep their dockets in every case, and plainly state if the prisoner has been fined, and the said fine paid, and if partly paid, their dockets to so state. The records existing now are mostly merely blank sheets written on by their clerks.

THE CITY COURT.

Your Grand Jury would recommend that the city court be located in the northern part of the city, so that the justices' courts may be more widely apart, and professional jurors can be distributed.

THE AUDITOR'S EMPLOYES.

We also recommend that the Board of Supervisors see that good and reliable persons are employed in the County Auditor's office, and a bond be required, and also especially that a record be kept of the poll-tax receipts issued.

THE CITY BUILDING.

Your Grand Jury have examined the new city jail, and find it improperly ventilated and badly planned, and also badly sewered, especially the engine house. We believe a more modern style improvement could have been built for the same amount. We commend hereafter that more competent architects be employed.

CHINATOWN A NUISANCE.

A sub-committee of the Grand Jury, accompanied by Sheriff Gard, visited that portion of the city commonly called Chinatown, and found a great public nuisance existing in the very center of the city, commencing at the corner of Arcadia and Sanchez streets, and terminating at the corner of Aliso and Los Angeles streets, and extending to the two frontages of the Public Plaza.

This Chinatown is a disgrace to the city of Los Angeles. Repeated efforts have been made to abate so serious a nuisance, but up to this time apparently of no avail. It is a menace to the health of the city, and should be dealt with vigorously by the Board of Health and Health Officer of the city and county.

A white man can be arrested and punished for maintaining a nuisance on his premises. Why cannot a Chinaman be arrested and punished for a similar offense?

No respect seems to be paid to the law in the above-mentioned locality. The most unearthly noises in the evening, the most offensive odors, the accumulated filth, bad sewerage connections, the fire ordinances are violated, and prostitution, opium-smoking, and gambling are carried on in the above locality. And your Grand Jury firmly believe that the Chinese and owners of property themselves, are amenable to the law. And we demand that your honorable Court, through the District Attorney, shall cause the small number of property holders to be dealt with according to law for maintaining so great a nuisance.

We call upon the Board of Health and Health Officer of the city to see that the ordinances of the city respecting nuisances are properly enforced in Chinatown before some epidemic is created in our midst.

THE SUPERVISORS.

Your Grand Jury solemnly protests against the Board of Supervisors subsidizing any county official in the employment of deputies. If any official finds the duties and responsibilities greater than the compensation justifies, then he can relieve himself at his option.

BETTER ROADS NEEDED.

We earnestly believe that the approaches to the city should receive the personal attention of the Board of Supervisors.

We also recommend that the Board of Supervisors examine the County Government bill, section 25, subdivisions 11 and 12.

THE AUDITOR SHOULD PUBLISH HIS ACCOUNTS.

We also recommend that the County Auditor be required to publish every warrant drawn by him during the month, and include in such publication the moneys received by him; also, any and all settlements made with county officials. Respectfully submitted,

W. H. WORKMAN,
Foreman Grand Jury.

Los Angeles, Oct. 3, 1885.

BRIEFS.

The Third-street skating rink has reopened.

The Supervisors go regularly to work to-morrow.

One death in the city yesterday and one in the country.

The Santa Rosa sails north to-day, and the Los Angeles to-morrow.

The thermometer humped itself yesterday, and reached 102 degrees.

Joaus Figueroa's ball was yesterday reduced by Judge Cheney to $1500.

Wm. C. Foy, a native of England, was yesterday admitted to citizenship.

Ah Jun was examined by a medical commission yesterday, and pronounced insane.

The First Baptist Church Sunday School will give a harvest-home concert this evening.

C. C. Crane will send an excursion East via the Denver & Rio Grande Railway October 27.

A brush fire of considerable magnitude raged yesterday in the Arroyo Seco, near the Devil's Gate.

The partial report of the Grand Jury, in another column, furnishes some mighty interestin' reading.

The sales of stamps in the Los Angeles postoffice for the quarter ending October 1, amounted to $10,211.30.

The Historical Society of Southern California was held in Justice Austin's court-room to-morrow evening.

Rev. C. W. Gregory, late of Topeka, Kas., will begin his duties October 8th as pastor of the East Los Angeles Baptist Church.

The Janauschek engagement begins here to-morrow night. She has been playing to crowded houses in Oakland, and the Tribune praises her heartily.

An extremely handsome new car, built by the Central Railway Company, at its own shop, is now running on the Aliso avenue line. Its number is 15.

The funeral of Foo Chung, the suicide, yesterday, was the most gorgeous Chinese funeral here in years, and attracted large crowds to Chinatown.

The Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., convenes here Tuesday. One reception of Grand Lodge delegates takes place at the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow evening, and another at the hall.

Dan Lynch was arrested by officers Stanton and McMahon yesterday for drunkenness and disturbing the peace. His wild actions collected a big crowd on Spring street. He was released on $50 bail.

An accusation has been filed by the Grand Jury against Coroner McFarland, for his actions at Thursday's inquest. It is criminal but a civil procedure, whose issue would simply be to declare the office vacant.

Health Officer Baker states that he has had Chinatown cleaned once or twice a week, and it is then made as clean as it can be—which will never be very clean, he says, until it is swept by fire. The Chinese owned by Mayer Spence is in much better condition than the rest.

Twenty-eight deeds, ten mortgages, one release, two miscellaneous papers and three marriage licenses—W. S. Potter to M. L. M. Saupe; Geo. Desallier to Lizzie S. Hawkes, and C. A. Black to Annie A. Brodie—were filed with the County Recorder yesterday.

J. D. Gilchrist's new Pasadena paper will be launched October 14th in quarto shape. It will be called the Weekly Pasadenian, and its motto is "Pasadena first, the Pacific Coast and the World afterwards." The fourth page will be devoted to South Pasadena.

PERSONAL.

Miss Katie Dunn has returned to her home in Pasadena, after a four weeks' trip to San Francisco and Sacramento.

C. W. Filkins and Geo. C. Bryant, of Riverside, the founders and owners of Banning, came to this city yesterday.

At the St. Elmo: J. H. Lain, manager Janauschek Co.; M. M. Whelan, representative Janauschek Co.; S. Gregory Lines, San Bernardino; Theo Summerland, city; J. H. Wall, Miss Minnie Layman, Miss Mamie Wall, Santa Ana; M. Wolf, San Francisco; C. N. Filkins, Riverside; L. E. Walker; W. W. Walker, Casa Grande; C. H. Fulweiler, O. L. Hall, S. H. Swaim, A. N. Hook and wife, San Francisco.

At the St. Charles: E. C. Dean and wife, Col. George Truesdale, wife and son, Miss Little, Washington, D. C.; George Morris, Lewis F. Moulton and wife, Mrs. J. T. Moulton, E. H. Rhodes, San Francisco; G. W. Bryant and wife, E. T. Grandstrom, Riverside; J. C. King, A. H. Randle, San Bernardino; Thomas McPleary, I. S. Mills, Oakland; Isaac Hickman, Gilroy; E. A. Whiting, wife and son, Holyoke, Mass.; Dr. J. S. Elliott, Santa Monica; Miss Flo Denton, Pasadena; C. E. Sumner, Pomona; Miss Lydell, Indiana; Mich.; Harry Howard, Victoria, B. C.; C. C. Coswell, San Jose.

Thirteen Thousand and Three

is the exact number of pennies in our window. Over 500 guessed within twenty-five of the number. John McLaughlin, of Machado P. O., and Hattie Van Makee, or Maitres (we can't quite make out the name), guessed a tie—13,000. Fannie Harrow, 213 West Fifth street, guessed 13,011. No one guessed the exact number. The above three parties are entitled to the prizes. They will please come and get them. Hattie Van Makee, or Maitres, forgot to place her address on the card. A trifle over 10,000 guesses were made. The smallest guess was forty-five; the largest 75,000,000. Monday we open up our big pumpkin department. It will be in our window to-day. The one guessing the nearest to the number of seeds inside will be presented with the complete works of Charles Dickens, valued at $18.75. There are fifteen volumes bound in cloth and printed on heavy paper. The one guessing nearest the exact weight can have the pumpkin, provided they make us a pie; and Mr. Bell says he would like a pie, too. You do not have to buy anything to obtain a guess on the pumpkin. It is free to all. Prizes will be awarded Saturday eve, October 31st. Visit us this week. We have inaugurated the greatest dress goods sale ever known. We are slaughtering the prices. Read our big advertisement for full particulars. Nothing like it has ever been witnessed. Our house was crowded all day Saturday with the largest crowd that ever assembled in a dry goods house. Every department was surrounded with eager buyers. We have started our dress goods sale to score the greatest victory ever known in this city. We have started in to win, and there is not one particle of doubt as to the result. We are letting down the prices to popularize the house. Have you visited our bean department? Have you guessed the number? Don't you think it would be more pleasant to ride in that buggy than it is to walk. Won't you visit our big pumpkin department,—pumpkin guesses free. We particularly invite the children to guess as well as the old and middle aged.

We want three first class dress goods salesmen. Apply early Monday morning, ready to go to work.

J. T. SHEWARD.

Art Sale.

Los Angeles is to have a fine art sale next week, at No. 3 South Main street It will comprise works in oil and pastel, in landscapes, animals, flowers, fruits, etc. These works are from the brushes of some of our local artists—Mrs. A. A. Stewart and Mr. Wallace Miller—and it will be a rare opportunity for the lovers of fine paintings to satisfy themselves in purchasing. A bit of landscape, a painted flower and a glimpse of still life brought into our homes is like bringing in so much of the beautiful outer world, with its breezes, fragrance and its sunshine. Los Angeles is waking up to a love of art, and she will be glad of this sale.

Some Pumpkins.

Guess the number of seeds in the pumpkin in our show-window, and we will give you the fine solid gold watch and chain displayed on the top. Everybody buying $2.50 worth of jewelry is entitled to guess.

On Monday Evening

The great sale at the Diamond House will be continued by catalogue. The goods offered are superb in quality.

Encourage Those Industries

That increase the value of your real estate. Every person who has a dollar in land, or buildings, should know that in the petroleum industries of our county lie the future greatness of this city. The Oil Burning and Supply Company, with their Edwards oil burners, are increasing the demand for our petroleum product, and giving to the public a fuel unequaled by any other. Be wise, therefore, and buy an Edwards oil burner.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE.

A Merited Testimony from the Former Home of Dr. Williams.

M. J. E. Millar, formerly editor and proprietor of Truth for the People, Detroit, Mich., says:

"Dr. M. Hilton Williams for many years has been a respected citizen of this city, one who, by precept and example both in professional and private life, has endeared himself to a large circle of friends. The testimonials which the Do